



State by State Guide to Mandatory Voting Laws

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Overview of Mandatory Statewide Voting Laws

Recent as of 1/25/22

State	Early Voting Days	Absentee Voting	Same Day Registration	Automatic Voter Registration	In-Person Voter ID	Absentee Voter ID	Ballot Trafficking
AL	39*	Excuse required	No	No	Photo ID	Photo ID & witness/notary signature	Ban
AK	13-15	No excuse	Yes, for Pres and VP	Yes	Photo or non-photo ID	Witness signature	Limited
AZ	18	No excuse	No	No	Photo or non-photo ID	Signature match	Limited
AR	13	Excuse required	No	No	Photo ID	Photo ID required and signature match	Limited
CA	21	All-Mail	Yes	Yes	No	Signature match	Open
CO	12-15	All-mail voting	Yes	Yes	Photo or non-photo ID	Signature match	Limited
CT	0	Excuse required	Yes	Yes	Photo or non-photo ID	No	Limited
DE	9	Excuse required	No	Yes	Photo or non-photo ID	No	Unspecified
FL	8	No excuse	No	No	ID	ID & Signature match	Limited
GA	17	No excuse	No	Yes	Photo ID	ID required	Family & Friends
HI	10	All-mail voting	Yes	Yes	No	Signature match	Unspecified
ID	10	No excuse	Yes	No	Photo ID	Signature match	County discretion
IL	30	No excuse	Yes	Yes	No	Signature match	Open
IN	22*	Excuse required	No	No	Photo ID	Signature match	Limited
IA	14*	No excuse	Yes	Yes	Photo or non-photo ID	Signature match	Limited
KS	14	No excuse	No	No	Photo ID	No	Limited
KY	3	Excuse required	No	No	Photo ID	Signature match	Limited
LA	7	Excuse required	No	No	Photo ID	Witness signature	Limited
ME	29	No excuse	Yes	Yes	No	Signature match	Limited
MD	8	No excuse	Yes	Yes	No	No	Open
MA	10	Excuse required	No	Yes	No	Signature match	Limited
MI	29*	No excuse	Yes	Yes	Photo ID	Signature match	Limited
MN	33	No excuse	Yes	No	No	Witness signature/Signature match	Limited
MS	31*	Excuse required	No	No	Photo ID	Witness signature/Signature match	Unspecified
MO	30*	Excuse required	No	No	Photo or non-photo ID	Notary signature	Limited
MT	21*	No excuse	No	No	Photo ID	Signature match	Family & Friends
NE	21	No excuse	No	No	No	None	Limited
NV	12	All-mail voting	Yes	Yes	No	Signature match	Limited

NH	0**	Excuse required	Yes	No	Photo ID or affidavit	None	Limited
NJ	9	No excuse	No	Yes	No	Signature match	Limited
NM	23	No excuse	Yes	Yes	No	None	Limited
NY	9	Excuse required	No	Yes	No	Signature match	Unspecified
NC	13	No excuse	Yes	No	No	Witness or notary signature	Limited
ND	11	No excuse	No	No	Photo or Non-Photo ID	Signature match	Limited
OH	21	No excuse	No	No	Photo or Non-Photo ID	Signature match	Limited
OK	4	No excuse	No	No	Photo or Non-Photo ID	Notary Signature	Ban
OR	4	All-mail voting	No	Yes	No	Signature match	Open
PA	32*	No excuse	No	No	No	None	Ban
RI	14	Excuse required**	No	Yes	Photo or non-photo ID	Witness/notary signature, & signature match	Unspecified
SC	0	Excuse required	No	No	Photo ID	Witness	Limited
SD	32*	No excuse	No	No	Photo ID	Signature match	Limited
TN	14	Excuse required	No	No	Photo ID	Signature match	Ban
TX	10	Excuse required	No	No	Photo ID	ID required	Family & Friends
UT	9	All-Mail	Yes	No	Photo or Non-Photo ID	Signature match	Unspecified
VT	31	All-Mail	Yes	Yes	No	None	Unspecified
VA	32	No excuse	No	Yes	Photo or Non-Photo ID	Witness signature	Limited
WA	12	All-Mail	Yes	Yes	Photo or Non-Photo ID	Signature match	Unspecified
WV	10	Excuse required	No	Yes	Photo or Non-Photo ID	Signature match	Limited
WI	9	No excuse	Yes	No	Photo ID	Witness signature	Unspecified
WY	31	No excuse	Yes	No	Photo or Non-Photo ID	None	Unspecified

Notes, Terminology, and Sources:

<i>*Denotes Absentee In-Person Voting</i>
<i>** New Hampshire offers voters the opportunity to return their absentee ballots in person once received</i>
<i>** Rhode Island allows voters to list "no specific reason necessary" as an excuse when applying for an absentee ballot</i>
<i>Ballot Trafficking terms: "Ban" = ballot trafficking is prohibited, "Family & Friends" = only family and/or friends can return ballots on behalf of a voter, "Limited" = restrictions on how many ballots one person can return or other restrictions, "Open" = no restrictions, "Unspecified" = state laws do not specify who can return an absentee ballot</i>
<i>Sources: NCSL State Election Resources and additional supplemental sources</i>

Election Turnout by Year

State	Turnout	2020	2018	2016	2014	2012	2010	2008
United States	Total	66.8%	53.4%	61.4%	41.9%	61.8%	45.5%	63.6%
	White Non-Hispanic	70.9%	57.5%	65.3%	45.8%	64.1%	48.6%	66.1%
	African American	62.6%	51.1%	59.4%	39.7%	66.2%	43.5%	64.7%
	Asian	59.7%	40.6%	49.0%	27.1%	47.3%	30.8%	47.6%
	Hispanic	53.7%	40.4%	47.6%	27.0%	48.0%	31.2%	49.9%
ALABAMA	Total	60.5%	50.7%	57.4%	42.5%	61.9%	44.1%	62.4%
	White Non-Hispanic	63.0%	52.6%	57.0%	42.3%	62.0%	44.0%	62.5%
	African American	54.8%	49.5%	60.8%	45.5%	63.1%	46.4%	62.5%
	Asian	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Hispanic	N/A	29.1%	N/A	N/A	N/A	22.1%	N/A
ALASKA	Total	63.8%	52.8%	61.3%	50.7%	58.4%	50.7%	65.0%
	White Non-Hispanic	71.0%	60.3%	68.7%	57.8%	63.9%	56.5%	71.2%
	African American	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Asian	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Hispanic	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
ARIZONA	Total	71.9%	58.9%	60.4%	40.6%	55.9%	48.8%	59.9%
	White Non-Hispanic	77.0%	65.3%	68.3%	46.4%	62.4%	52.4%	67.0%
	African American	69.1%	47.0%	50.9%	33.1%	46.0%	41.0%	52.4%
	Asian	67.9%	56.1%	51.6%	20.3%	27.1%	61.4%	59.9%
	Hispanic	60.8%	48.8%	47.4%	31.8%	40.4%	38.3%	36.6%
ARKANSAS	Total	54.0%	42.6%	58.7%	38.8%	53.3%	40.7%	53.8%
	White Non-Hispanic	57.0%	44.0%	60.2%	39.6%	55.7%	42.6%	55.9%
	African American	44.7%	41.6%	58.8%	38.2%	49.4%	32.5%	44.1%
	Asian	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Hispanic	34.6%	20.8%	N/A	N/A	N/A	20.5%	N/A
CALIFORNIA	Total	65.1%	51.9%	57.9%	36.6%	57.5%	47.1%	63.4%
	White Non-Hispanic	74.6%	61.4%	67.1%	46.6%	64.3%	56.0%	68.5%
	African American	64.0%	50.6%	48.4%	29.9%	61.1%	42.6%	65.2%
	Asian	59.9%	40.7%	51.9%	26.8%	48.6%	34.3%	52.4%
	Hispanic	54.6%	43.3%	47.2%	24.9%	48.5%	35.4%	57.0%
COLORADO	Total	67.6%	58.1%	69.5%	59.3%	70.4%	52.6%	68.4%
	White Non-Hispanic	71.9%	62.6%	73.0%	63.7%	75.2%	57.0%	71.5%
	African American	53.1%	30.3%	74.1%	42.3%	55.6%	46.6%	58.9%
	Asian	43.2%	71.5%	33.4%	N/A	31.6%	30.7%	N/A
	Hispanic	51.1%	43.9%	55.6%	40.9%	52.1%	31.7%	51.4%
CONNECTICUT	Total	66.6%	54.0%	63.9%	46.7%	62.7%	49.3%	67.2%
	White Non-Hispanic	71.0%	57.7%	67.8%	50.1%	65.8%	52.2%	71.6%
	African American	65.2%	48.2%	53.5%	33.5%	62.2%	44.6%	54.1%
	Asian	56.6%	37.7%	N/A	N/A	29.0%	45.3%	N/A
	Hispanic	56.4%	41.1%	47.2%	30.8%	47.0%	28.3%	46.8%
DELAWARE	Total	67.7%	51.8%	62.3%	45.2%	67.3%	51.0%	67.3%
	White Non-Hispanic	68.4%	52.7%	66.3%	48.3%	69.9%	52.5%	69.8%
	African American	64.7%	56.2%	56.5%	43.0%	63.7%	49.6%	65.0%
	Asian	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Hispanic	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
FLORIDA	Total	62.1%	52.6%	59.5%	44.8%	60.8%	43.9%	63.8%
	White Non-Hispanic	66.8%	57.0%	63.8%	47.5%	61.9%	45.7%	65.2%
	African American	58.7%	47.2%	50.5%	44.0%	57.6%	41.5%	58.5%
	Asian	55.6%	40.5%	40.4%	43.0%	43.0%	24.7%	53.1%
	Hispanic	52.7%	44.3%	54.1%	36.0%	62.2%	41.1%	61.7%
GEORGIA	Total	66.1%	55.9%	60.2%	43.2%	61.9%	43.6%	64.2%
	White Non-Hispanic	70.3%	56.1%	63.8%	44.8%	62.0%	43.7%	64.1%
	African American	64.0%	59.6%	59.7%	43.0%	65.0%	46.8%	67.9%
	Asian	53.3%	43.8%	31.3%	25.7%	41.9%	14.6%	34.1%
	Hispanic	44.2%	38.2%	47.9%	29.8%	47.8%	23.9%	54.5%

State	Turnout	2020	2018	2016	2014	2012	2010	2008
HAWAII	Total	64.3%	44.0%	47.3%	41.8%	51.6%	43.1%	51.8%
	White Non-Hispanic	72.7%	50.4%	61.3%	45.1%	68.2%	47.5%	63.4%
	African American	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Asian	61.4%	44.6%	43.6%	45.8%	49.7%	48.8%	55.4%
	Hispanic	N/A	30.9%	N/A	N/A	N/A	35.7%	N/A
IDAHO	Total	64.9%	47.9%	62.1%	41.8%	63.9%	47.5%	61.4%
	White Non-Hispanic	67.5%	50.9%	65.1%	45.8%	66.4%	50.3%	64.5%
	African American	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Asian	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Hispanic	46.3%	23.8%	42.9%	17.6%	N/A	14.7%	35.3%
ILLINOIS	Total	68.4%	53.0%	63.8%	41.7%	61.5%	45.5%	62.6%
	White Non-Hispanic	72.9%	57.1%	67.8%	45.8%	62.2%	46.4%	65.2%
	African American	63.8%	56.8%	58.7%	40.2%	71.8%	52.0%	62.2%
	Asian	69.3%	33.1%	51.3%	18.5%	55.4%	33.3%	36.7%
	Hispanic	46.8%	33.3%	49.2%	24.4%	38.3%	32.2%	46.8%
INDIANA	Total	61.0%	49.3%	58.3%	35.1%	59.3%	39.4%	60.5%
	White Non-Hispanic	62.0%	50.9%	59.4%	36.2%	59.3%	39.8%	61.1%
	African American	60.2%	47.2%	51.6%	37.3%	68.4%	43.5%	60.9%
	Asian	59.9%	27.6%	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Hispanic	44.0%	36.5%	46.0%	19.4%	41.1%	18.7%	35.3%
IOWA	Total	70.5%	59.6%	63.4%	52.9%	69.4%	52.3%	70.2%
	White Non-Hispanic	73.0%	60.8%	64.8%	54.5%	70.7%	53.5%	71.1%
	African American	46.2%	54.1%	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Asian	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Hispanic	44.2%	46.7%	N/A	N/A	N/A	25.7%	N/A
KANSAS	Total	65.7%	56.9%	61.3%	48.3%	63.3%	47.2%	63.3%
	White Non-Hispanic	70.7%	59.1%	65.3%	50.1%	67.0%	49.4%	65.5%
	African American	61.0%	46.5%	44.5%	43.3%	52.4%	32.3%	54.0%
	Asian	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Hispanic	45.5%	41.4%	48.9%	35.3%	30.2%	30.0%	51.3%
KENTUCKY	Total	68.5%	53.8%	57.0%	47.5%	59.3%	46.8%	63.1%
	White Non-Hispanic	69.6%	54.1%	56.7%	47.8%	59.7%	48.3%	63.2%
	African American	62.5%	56.4%	69.1%	44.7%	56.9%	38.8%	65.5%
	Asian	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Hispanic	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	3.2%	N/A
LOUISIANA	Total	61.9%	49.8%	61.6%	50.2%	66.3%	50.0%	70.3%
	White Non-Hispanic	64.7%	51.7%	62.5%	51.2%	65.2%	51.4%	72.4%
	African American	57.9%	49.5%	61.3%	51.6%	69.5%	48.9%	66.2%
	Asian	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Hispanic	55.1%	31.1%	67.9%	31.3%	N/A	23.9%	N/A
MAINE	Total	71.3%	65.6%	72.7%	61.5%	68.6%	59.4%	71.2%
	White Non-Hispanic	71.8%	67.0%	73.3%	61.8%	69.1%	60.0%	72.0%
	African American	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Asian	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Hispanic	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
MARYLAND	Total	73.6%	54.2%	65.8%	48.9%	65.1%	46.8%	68.3%
	White Non-Hispanic	72.3%	58.4%	67.1%	52.4%	65.6%	49.0%	67.1%
	African American	75.3%	48.7%	66.6%	48.1%	67.5%	46.6%	74.2%
	Asian	64.1%	43.4%	54.9%	30.0%	50.4%	26.7%	46.2%
	Hispanic	74.4%	48.3%	59.1%	30.8%	58.7%	33.2%	62.9%
MASSACHUSETTS	Total	66.3%	55.5%	66.7%	46.9%	70.8%	52.2%	67.1%
	White Non-Hispanic	72.4%	58.7%	70.3%	52.2%	73.2%	57.0%	70.2%
	African American	36.4%	47.0%	65.8%	25.7%	65.6%	39.3%	61.9%
	Asian	44.9%	43.1%	50.8%	17.4%	44.5%	32.6%	35.4%
	Hispanic	50.7%	42.7%	44.6%	17.0%	62.7%	14.0%	39.9%

State	Turnout	2020	2018	2016	2014	2012	2010	2008
MICHIGAN	Total	66.9%	59.5%	64.3%	47.1%	66.8%	47.3%	67.8%
	White Non-Hispanic	68.2%	61.1%	66.5%	49.1%	67.9%	48.6%	68.0%
	African American	63.8%	55.5%	61.0%	45.4%	63.3%	41.8%	71.1%
	Asian	45.1%	54.1%	54.2%	28.8%	51.6%	28.9%	58.7%
	Hispanic	54.7%	40.1%	36.0%	27.8%	70.3%	39.7%	47.8%
MINNESOTA	Total	77.9%	63.0%	68.7%	52.0%	73.2%	54.9%	75.0%
	White Non-Hispanic	79.9%	64.8%	71.0%	54.7%	74.5%	56.8%	76.5%
	African American	66.1%	54.7%	66.3%	21.7%	62.1%	44.5%	69.0%
	Asian	64.0%	43.3%	51.6%	37.1%	78.1%	24.5%	57.1%
	Hispanic	62.7%	N/A	36.6%	33.5%	45.7%	33.2%	N/A
MISSISSIPPI	Total	70.3%	54.2%	67.7%	42.3%	74.5%	47.1%	69.7%
	White Non-Hispanic	69.8%	51.7%	67.7%	40.3%	71.8%	47.7%	68.4%
	African American	72.8%	59.8%	69.1%	46.5%	82.4%	48.7%	72.9%
	Asian	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Hispanic	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
MISSOURI	Total	66.8%	55.0%	64.8%	38.7%	63.9%	45.7%	65.8%
	White Non-Hispanic	67.9%	56.7%	65.8%	39.4%	64.2%	46.2%	65.3%
	African American	69.2%	47.9%	66.2%	37.0%	67.3%	47.6%	73.9%
	Asian	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Hispanic	53.3%	43.3%	N/A	N/A	60.7%	37.2%	N/A
MONTANA	Total	73.5%	63.8%	65.9%	50.1%	65.7%	51.9%	65.4%
	White Non-Hispanic	74.6%	65.3%	67.3%	52.4%	67.2%	53.5%	66.2%
	African American	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Asian	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Hispanic	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
NEBRASKA	Total	65.2%	50.8%	66.8%	44.3%	61.6%	41.3%	67.3%
	White Non-Hispanic	66.6%	54.7%	70.3%	46.6%	63.6%	43.4%	69.2%
	African American	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Asian	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Hispanic	N/A	32.8%	N/A	N/A	N/A	21.6%	N/A
NEVADA	Total	61.5%	48.7%	60.5%	37.3%	57.9%	42.4%	59.9%
	White Non-Hispanic	69.7%	56.6%	63.2%	44.1%	60.3%	47.7%	62.5%
	African American	58.5%	36.8%	65.1%	31.9%	61.8%	34.4%	77.1%
	Asian	68.9%	27.8%	44.4%	19.6%	58.8%	25.9%	29.8%
	Hispanic	46.4%	37.7%	56.6%	27.6%	52.0%	27.9%	52.1%
NEW HAMPSHIRE	Total	74.0%	56.2%	69.0%	50.2%	69.4%	46.9%	71.2%
	White Non-Hispanic	76.4%	57.0%	69.7%	50.2%	70.0%	47.6%	72.3%
	African American	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Asian	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Hispanic	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
NEW JERSEY	Total	78.3%	54.0%	61.5%	36.4%	61.9%	41.7%	64.1%
	White Non-Hispanic	81.1%	57.9%	66.9%	39.0%	63.4%	43.6%	67.1%
	African American	71.3%	51.5%	57.6%	35.4%	68.5%	46.9%	61.8%
	Asian	77.9%	38.9%	52.9%	19.4%	48.1%	29.9%	58.2%
	Hispanic	72.1%	51.2%	43.2%	34.1%	51.1%	28.1%	50.9%
NEW MEXICO	Total	62.6%	48.1%	54.8%	45.6%	61.6%	42.5%	62.6%
	White Non-Hispanic	73.1%	61.3%	69.2%	56.5%	70.5%	52.1%	71.5%
	African American	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Asian	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Hispanic	53.8%	40.5%	48.2%	35.6%	56.2%	35.5%	53.7%
NEW YORK	Total	64.7%	49.5%	57.2%	34.4%	58.7%	43.6%	58.8%
	White Non-Hispanic	69.0%	52.9%	61.1%	36.9%	59.4%	47.5%	62.3%
	African American	62.7%	51.3%	58.2%	34.5%	69.2%	42.6%	54.9%
	Asian	51.9%	32.4%	34.5%	19.3%	39.2%	15.7%	33.4%
	Hispanic	54.9%	40.9%	50.6%	28.1%	53.9%	32.2%	55.1%

State	Turnout	2020	2018	2016	2014	2012	2010	2008
NORTH CAROLINA	Total	64.7%	52.4%	67.5%	46.2%	68.9%	45.4%	67.5%
	White Non-Hispanic	66.6%	54.4%	69.5%	47.2%	66.3%	47.0%	68.3%
	African American	63.4%	51.8%	69.1%	48.1%	80.2%	41.0%	68.3%
	Asian	70.9%	45.5%	58.5%	25.9%	N/A	32.4%	53.3%
	Hispanic	48.8%	38.6%	53.1%	26.0%	56.0%	43.8%	65.4%
NORTH DAKOTA	Total	67.1%	61.9%	64.2%	51.0%	63.9%	55.7%	67.5%
	White Non-Hispanic	71.5%	64.3%	67.9%	53.2%	66.0%	56.2%	67.6%
	African American	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Asian	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Hispanic	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
OHIO	Total	70.1%	52.5%	63.6%	39.7%	63.1%	45.2%	65.5%
	White Non-Hispanic	71.9%	53.9%	64.4%	40.2%	61.9%	45.9%	65.4%
	African American	65.1%	51.4%	65.2%	40.7%	71.7%	43.4%	70.3%
	Asian	57.5%	50.1%	46.8%	38.1%	N/A	38.5%	46.9%
	Hispanic	58.7%	32.6%	57.8%	23.1%	56.9%	29.3%	52.4%
OKLAHOMA	Total	58.3%	49.4%	56.6%	34.2%	52.4%	40.4%	58.7%
	White Non-Hispanic	65.0%	53.0%	60.5%	36.1%	55.9%	43.3%	60.9%
	African American	49.5%	33.0%	57.3%	29.6%	54.6%	37.0%	64.5%
	Asian	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Hispanic	30.3%	33.7%	33.4%	18.0%	28.7%	16.3%	35.6%
OREGON	Total	74.1%	61.1%	66.3%	55.5%	67.6%	56.3%	67.6%
	White Non-Hispanic	77.7%	65.9%	68.8%	59.5%	70.2%	58.2%	69.8%
	African American	51.2%	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Asian	60.6%	26.2%	N/A	24.4%	N/A	48.7%	N/A
	Hispanic	51.9%	34.8%	54.9%	33.6%	50.0%	32.9%	38.6%
PENNSYLVANIA	Total	70.2%	54.6%	62.6%	40.0%	61.6%	43.9%	62.4%
	White Non-Hispanic	71.7%	56.6%	63.3%	41.2%	62.5%	44.8%	63.0%
	African American	70.8%	54.7%	63.2%	37.1%	65.2%	45.6%	63.9%
	Asian	49.1%	37.9%	60.3%	27.9%	47.6%	26.5%	30.2%
	Hispanic	54.3%	29.1%	51.7%	22.1%	45.1%	24.5%	50.5%
RHODE ISLAND	Total	66.3%	51.6%	60.6%	43.3%	62.5%	46.7%	67.4%
	White Non-Hispanic	66.8%	54.5%	61.7%	46.6%	63.3%	50.3%	68.9%
	African American	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Asian	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Hispanic	N/A	37.8%	N/A	N/A	N/A	19.5%	N/A
SOUTH CAROLINA	Total	63.4%	48.7%	62.1%	42.4%	64.7%	50.9%	65.6%
	White Non-Hispanic	69.0%	48.6%	61.5%	43.2%	63.5%	51.0%	63.5%
	African American	53.9%	52.1%	65.2%	44.4%	69.3%	53.7%	72.6%
	Asian	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Hispanic	38.3%	17.6%	N/A	13.0%	N/A	8.9%	N/A
SOUTH DAKOTA	Total	58.5%	51.9%	59.1%	44.1%	61.0%	54.9%	67.8%
	White Non-Hispanic	60.3%	54.3%	61.9%	47.0%	64.3%	56.2%	70.3%
	African American	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Asian	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Hispanic	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
TENNESSEE	Total	66.4%	49.6%	54.0%	36.6%	55.7%	37.7%	55.5%
	White Non-Hispanic	67.3%	51.7%	56.8%	38.6%	54.8%	38.4%	55.8%
	African American	69.4%	45.9%	50.3%	31.2%	61.1%	36.4%	59.3%
	Asian	N/A	30.2%	N/A	N/A	N/A	14.2%	23.4%
	Hispanic	41.4%	28.7%	21.7%	12.7%	62.3%	26.3%	N/A
TEXAS	Total	63.9%	48.4%	55.4%	34.6%	53.8%	36.4%	56.1%
	White Non-Hispanic	72.0%	57.7%	62.9%	41.8%	60.9%	43.8%	64.7%
	African American	60.8%	48.3%	57.2%	35.3%	63.1%	38.7%	64.9%
	Asian	58.7%	39.1%	47.3%	18.0%	42.4%	22.2%	33.7%
	Hispanic	53.1%	34.3%	40.5%	22.4%	38.8%	23.1%	37.8%

State	Turnout	2020	2018	2016	2014	2012	2010	2008
UTAH	Total	63.6%	57.6%	62.7%	36.5%	57.0%	38.6%	53.1%
	White Non-Hispanic	65.7%	61.2%	64.4%	38.6%	61.0%	40.5%	55.6%
	African American	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Asian	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Hispanic	49.6%	43.6%	58.1%	18.1%	32.1%	18.9%	23.3%
VERMONT	Total	68.4%	54.9%	62.5%	42.5%	63.3%	55.0%	64.7%
	White Non-Hispanic	69.9%	55.3%	63.1%	43.3%	63.2%	55.4%	64.7%
	African American	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Asian	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Hispanic	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
VIRGINIA	Total	71.5%	57.5%	68.2%	41.7%	66.9%	40.7%	68.7%
	White Non-Hispanic	77.3%	60.8%	69.6%	45.6%	67.5%	44.9%	69.4%
	African American	63.9%	56.4%	64.9%	34.2%	67.2%	35.6%	68.3%
	Asian	61.8%	46.0%	69.9%	31.6%	53.0%	22.7%	61.4%
	Hispanic	51.3%	34.6%	64.2%	25.4%	66.8%	18.9%	56.5%
WASHINGTON	Total	71.5%	61.9%	66.3%	50.0%	65.6%	58.1%	66.8%
	White Non-Hispanic	77.0%	65.5%	71.7%	55.5%	68.0%	62.6%	70.6%
	African American	61.9%	44.2%	42.6%	33.7%	48.3%	35.3%	46.4%
	Asian	62.8%	62.8%	69.0%	41.2%	66.0%	38.7%	50.5%
	Hispanic	53.7%	43.7%	47.2%	25.1%	46.6%	29.8%	52.7%
WEST VIRGINIA	Total	56.1%	44.1%	50.8%	33.6%	47.8%	41.0%	53.4%
	White Non-Hispanic	56.1%	45.2%	50.7%	34.6%	48.1%	41.3%	53.6%
	African American	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Asian	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Hispanic	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
WISCONSIN	Total	73.6%	64.6%	70.5%	55.4%	73.6%	54.3%	71.2%
	White Non-Hispanic	77.2%	66.9%	74.0%	58.8%	75.0%	55.3%	72.3%
	African American	43.5%	46.0%	46.8%	40.9%	78.5%	46.3%	73.1%
	Asian	N/A	66.0%	N/A	10.2%	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Hispanic	58.4%	59.4%	42.8%	31.7%	43.9%	39.4%	44.4%
WYOMING	Total	65.5%	52.1%	64.8%	40.3%	58.9%	47.2%	64.3%
	White Non-Hispanic	66.8%	54.9%	66.8%	41.4%	62.3%	48.9%	65.4%
	African American	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Asian	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Hispanic	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

Notes, Terminology, and Sources:

N/A= Survey Sample Size Too Small For An Accurate Estimate

Source: [U.S. Census Bureau Voting and Registration Data Tables](#)

ALABAMA

Easy to Vote

- [Early Voting](#): In-person absentee voting starts 55 days prior to election, ends day prior to the election
- [Absentee Voting](#): Excuse required
- [Same Day Registration](#): No
- [Automatic Voter Registration](#): No

Hard to Cheat

- [In-Person Voter ID](#): Photo ID
- [Absentee Voter ID](#): Photo ID and witness/notary signature required
- [Ballot Trafficking](#): Ban
- [Secured Drop Boxes](#): None

2020 Turnout

- [Overall](#): 60.5%
- [African American](#): 54.8%
- [Hispanic](#): TBD
- [Asian](#): TBD

ALASKA

Easy to Vote

- [Early Voting](#): Starts 15 days prior to election, ends day of election (Some locations offer early voting only Monday-Friday, others offer on the weekends:
<https://www.elections.alaska.gov/Core/avolocationsg.php>, 6 Alaska Admin. Code § 25.500)
- [Absentee Voting](#): No excuse
- [Same Day Registration](#): Yes, but only for offices of president and vice-president
- [Automatic Voter Registration](#): Yes

Hard to Cheat

- [In-Person Voter ID](#): Photo or non-photo ID
- [Absentee Voter ID](#): Witness signature
- [Ballot Trafficking](#): Limited
- [Secured Drop Boxes](#): None

2020 Turnout

- [Overall](#): 63.8%
- [African American](#): TBD
- [Hispanic](#): TBD
- [Asian](#): TBD

ARIZONA

Easy to Vote

- [Early Voting](#): Starts 27 days prior to election, ends 5pm Friday before election
- [Absentee Voting](#): No excuse
- [Same Day Registration](#): No
- [Automatic Voter Registration](#): No

Hard to Cheat

- [In-Person Voter ID](#): Photo or two forms of non-photo ID
- [Absentee Voter ID](#): Signature match
- [Ballot Trafficking](#): Limited
- [Secured Drop Boxes](#): Not secured

2020 Turnout

- [Overall](#): 71.9%
- [African American](#): 69.1%
- [Hispanic](#): 60.8%
- [Asian](#): 67.9%

ARKANSAS

Easy to Vote

- [Early Voting](#): Starts 15 days prior to election, ends Monday before election
- [Absentee Voting](#): Excuse required.
- [Same Day Registration](#): No
- [Automatic Voter Registration](#): No

Hard to Cheat

- [In-Person Voter ID](#): Photo ID
- [Absentee Voter ID](#): Photo ID required; signature match
- [Ballot Trafficking](#): Limited
- [Secured Drop Boxes](#): None

2020 Turnout

- [Overall](#): 54.0%
- [African American](#): 44.7%
- [Hispanic](#): 34.6%
- [Asian](#): *TBD*

CALIFORNIA

Easy to Vote

- [Early Voting](#): Starts 29 days prior to election, ends day before election
- [Absentee Voting](#): All-mail voting.
- [Same Day Registration](#): Yes
- [Automatic Voter Registration](#): Yes

Hard to Cheat

- [In-Person Voter ID](#): No
- [Absentee Voter ID](#): Signature match
- [Ballot Trafficking](#): Open
- [Secured Drop Boxes](#): Secured

2020 Turnout

- [Overall](#): 65.1%
- [African American](#): 64.0%
- [Hispanic](#): 54.6%
- [Asian](#): 59.9%

COLORADO

Easy to Vote

- [Early Voting](#): In-person early voting begins 15 days before an election, and ends the day of the election.
- [Absentee Voting](#): All-mail voting
- [Same Day Registration](#): Yes
- [Automatic Voter Registration](#): Yes

Hard to Cheat

- [In-Person Voter ID](#): Photo or non-photo ID
- [Absentee Voter ID](#): Signature match
- [Ballot Trafficking](#): Limited
- [Secured Drop Boxes](#): Secured

2020 Turnout

- [Overall](#): 67.6%
- [African American](#): 53.1%
- [Hispanic](#): 51.1%
- [Asian](#): 43.2%

CONNECTICUT

Easy to Vote

- [Early Voting](#): No early voting
- [Absentee Voting](#): Excuse required
- [Same Day Registration](#): Yes
- [Automatic Voter Registration](#): Yes

Hard to Cheat

- [In-Person Voter ID](#): Photo ID, non-photo ID, or signed affidavit
- [Absentee Voter ID](#): No
- [Ballot Trafficking](#): Limited
- [Secured Drop Boxes](#): Secured

2020 Turnout

- [Overall](#): 66.6%
- [African American](#): 65.2%
- [Hispanic](#): 56.4%
- [Asian](#): 56.6%

DELAWARE

Easy to Vote

- [Early Voting](#): Yes
- [Absentee Voting](#): Excuse required
- [Same Day Registration](#): No
- [Automatic Voter Registration](#): Yes

Hard to Cheat

- [In-Person Voter ID](#): Photo, non-photo ID, or signed affidavit
- [Absentee Voter ID](#): No
- [Ballot Trafficking](#): Unspecified
- [Secured Drop Boxes](#): Secured

2020 Turnout

- [Overall](#): 67.7%
- [African American](#): 64.7%
- [Hispanic](#): TBD
- [Asian](#): TBD

FLORIDA

Easy to Vote

- [Early Voting](#): Early voting is required for any election for Federal or state office, and must begin 10 days before an election and ends 3 days before an election. Local election officials may, however, extend this window to allow early voting as early as 15 days before an election and as late as 2 days before an election.
- [Absentee Voting](#): No excuse
- [Same Day Registration](#): No
- [Automatic Voter Registration](#): No

Hard to Cheat

- [In-Person Voter ID](#): ID required
- [Absentee Voter ID](#): Signature match and ID (absentee voters must provide their Florida driver license number, Florida ID card number, or social security number when they request a mail ballot)
- [Ballot Trafficking](#): Limited (a person may deliver no more than two ballots per election in addition to his own or a ballot belonging to an immediate family member)
- [Secured Drop Boxes](#): Secured

2020 Turnout

- [Overall](#): 62.1%
- [African American](#): 58.7%
- [Hispanic](#): 52.7%
- [Asian](#): 55.6%

GEORGIA

Easy to Vote

- [Early Voting](#): Begins on the fourth Monday prior to election, ends Friday prior to the election (and weekend voting is mandatory on the second and third Saturdays during the early voting period)
- [Absentee Voting](#): No excuse
- [Same Day Registration](#): No
- [Automatic Voter Registration](#): Yes

Hard to Cheat

- [In-Person Voter ID](#): Photo ID
- [Absentee Voter ID](#): ID required
- [Ballot Trafficking](#): Limited (an individual may return a ballot for a family member or individual residing in the same household)
- [Secured Drop Boxes](#): Secured

2020 Turnout

- [Overall](#): 66.1%
- [African American](#): 64.0%
- [Hispanic](#): 44.2%
- [Asian](#): 53.3%

HAWAII

Easy to Vote

- [Early Voting](#): Early voting begins 10 business days before the election, and concludes on election day. Voting is conducted Monday-Saturday during the early voting period.
- [Absentee Voting](#): All-mail voting
- [Same Day Registration](#): Yes
- [Automatic Voter Registration](#): Yes

Hard to Cheat

- [In-Person Voter ID](#): Not required
- [Absentee Voter ID](#): Signature match
- [Ballot Trafficking](#): Unspecified
- [Secured Drop Boxes](#): Not Secured

2020 Turnout

- [Overall](#): 64.3%
- [African American](#): TBD
- [Hispanic](#): TBD
- [Asian](#): 61.4%

IDAHO

Easy to Vote

- [Early Voting](#): In the discretion of each county, if offered it may begin on or before the third Monday prior to election, ends Friday prior to the election
- [Absentee Voting](#): No excuse
- [Same Day Registration](#): Yes
- [Automatic Voter Registration](#): No

Hard to Cheat

- [In-Person Voter ID](#): Photo ID
- [Absentee Voter ID](#): Signature match
- [Ballot Trafficking](#): Unspecified
- [Secured Drop Boxes](#): In the discretion of each county (not provided for in statute)

2020 Turnout

- [Overall](#): 64.9%
- [African American](#): TBD
- [Hispanic](#): 46.3%
- [Asian](#): TBD

ILLINOIS

Easy to Vote

- [Early Voting](#): Begins forty days prior to election, ends the day prior to the election. Hours of temporary early voting locations are determined by election officials, but permanent early voting locations must remain open for prescribed hours on weekdays beginning 15 days before an election and weekends beginning 8 days before an election.
- [Absentee Voting](#): No excuse
- [Same Day Registration](#): Yes
- [Automatic Voter Registration](#): Yes

Hard to Cheat

- [In-Person Voter ID](#): No
- [Absentee Voter ID](#): Signature match
- [Ballot Trafficking](#): Open
- [Secured Drop Boxes](#): Not Secured

2020 Turnout

- [Overall](#): 68.4%
- [African American](#): 63.8%
- [Hispanic](#): 46.8%
- [Asian](#): 69.3%

INDIANA

Easy to Vote

- [Early Voting](#): Begins 28 days prior to election, ends the day prior to the election
- [Absentee Voting](#): Excuse required for absentee mail voting; no excuse in-person early voting
- [Same Day Registration](#): No
- [Automatic Voter Registration](#): No

Hard to Cheat

- [In-Person Voter ID](#): Photo ID
- [Absentee Voter ID](#): Signature match
- [Ballot Trafficking](#): Limited (members of a household or an individual designated as attorney in fact for the voter may return a ballot)
- [Secured Drop Boxes](#): None

2020 Turnout

- [Overall](#): 61.0%
- [African American](#): 60.2%
- [Hispanic](#): 44.0%
- [Asian](#): 59.9%

IOWA

Easy to Vote

- [Early Voting](#): In-person absentee voting begins 20 days prior to election, ends the day prior to the election
- [Absentee Voting](#): No excuse
- [Same Day Registration](#): Yes (Election Day Registration)
- [Automatic Voter Registration](#): Yes

Hard to Cheat

- [In-Person Voter ID](#): Photo or non-photo ID
- [Absentee Voter ID](#): Signature match
- [Ballot Trafficking](#): Limited (household or immediate family members)
- [Secured Drop Boxes](#): Secured

2020 Turnout

- [Overall](#): 70.5%
- [African American](#): 46.2%
- [Hispanic](#): 44.2%
- [Asian](#): TBD

KANSAS

Easy to Vote

- [Early Voting](#): In the discretion of the counties, may begin up to 20 days prior to election, ends the day prior to election. Hours are subject to local county elections officers.
- [Absentee Voting](#): No excuse
- [Same Day Registration](#): No
- [Automatic Voter Registration](#): No

Hard to Cheat

- [In-Person Voter ID](#): Photo ID
- [Absentee Voter ID](#): Signature match (signature verification and ID required for application)
- [Ballot Trafficking](#): Limited (collectors must sign a sworn designation and are limited to 10 ballots)
- [Secured Drop Boxes](#): None (not specified in statute, though several counties use drop boxes)

2020 Turnout

- [Overall](#): 65.7%
- [African American](#): 61.0%
- [Hispanic](#): 45.5%
- [Asian](#): TBD

KENTUCKY

Easy to Vote

- [Early Voting](#): Thursday prior to election, ends Saturday prior to election
- [Absentee Voting](#): Excuse required (outside of early voting period)
- [Same Day Registration](#): No
- [Automatic Voter Registration](#): No

Hard to Cheat

- [In-Person Voter ID](#): Photo ID
- [Absentee Voter ID](#): Signature match
- [Ballot Trafficking](#): Limited
- [Secured Drop Boxes](#): Secured

2020 Turnout

- [Overall](#): 68.5%
- [African American](#): 62.5%
- [Hispanic](#): *TBD*
- [Asian](#): *TBD*

LOUISIANA

Easy to Vote

- [Early Voting](#): Begins 14 days prior to election, ends 7 days prior to election. Voting hours are 8:30-6:00 pm Monday-Saturday.
- [Absentee Voting](#): Excuse required
- [Same Day Registration](#): No
- [Automatic Voter Registration](#): No

Hard to Cheat

- [In-Person Voter ID](#): Photo ID
- [Absentee Voter ID](#): Witness signature
- [Ballot Trafficking](#): Limited
- [Secured Drop Boxes](#): None

2020 Turnout

- [Overall](#): 61.9%
- [African American](#): 57.9%
- [Hispanic](#): 55.1%
- [Asian](#): TBD

MAINE

Easy to Vote

- [Early Voting](#): Available as soon as absentee ballots are ready (30-45 days before election), ends three business days before election unless the voter has an acceptable excuse
- [Absentee Voting](#): No excuse
- [Same Day Registration](#): Yes
- [Automatic Voter Registration](#): Yes

Hard to Cheat

- [In-Person Voter ID](#): No
- [Absentee Voter ID](#): Signature match
- [Ballot Trafficking](#): Limited
- [Secured Drop Boxes](#): Secured

2020 Turnout

- [Overall](#): 71.3%
- [African American](#): TBD
- [Hispanic](#): TBD
- [Asian](#): TBD

MARYLAND

Easy to Vote

- [Early Voting](#): Voting is conducted beginning the second Thursday before an election, and ends the Thursday before the election (Begins October 27th during 2022 elections, ends November 3rd). Voting hours in a presidential election year are 8 am – 8 pm each early voting day. In all other elections, 10 am – 8 pm each early voting day.
- [Absentee Voting](#): No excuse
- [Same Day Registration](#): Yes
- [Automatic Voter Registration](#): Yes

Hard to Cheat

- [In-Person Voter ID](#): No
- [Absentee Voter ID](#): No
- [Ballot Trafficking](#): Open
- [Secured Drop Boxes](#): Secured

2020 Turnout

- [Overall](#): 73.6%
- [African American](#): 75.3%
- [Hispanic](#): 74.4%
- [Asian](#): 64.1%

MASSACHUSETTS

Easy to Vote

- [Early Voting](#): Begins 11 business days prior to election, ends 2 business days prior to election. Voting hours are regular business hours, but a city may, in its discretion, provide for additional early voting hours beyond the hours required by this subsection, including weekend hours.
- [Absentee Voting](#): Excuse required (early voting, no excuse voting, is allowed in some elections)
- [Same Day Registration](#): No
- [Automatic Voter Registration](#): Yes

Hard to Cheat

- [In-Person Voter ID](#): No, unless you are voting for the first time in Massachusetts in a federal election, you are an inactive voter, you are casting a provisional or challenged ballot; or the poll work has a reasonable suspicion that leads them to request ID.
- [Absentee Voter ID](#): Signature match
- [Ballot Trafficking](#): Family member
- [Secured Drop Boxes](#): Secured

2020 Turnout

- [Overall](#): 66.3%
- [African American](#): 36.4%
- [Hispanic](#): 50.7%
- [Asian](#): 44.9%

MICHIGAN

Easy to Vote

- [Early Voting](#): In-person absentee voting begins 40 days prior to election, ends day before election
- [Absentee Voting](#): No excuse
- [Same Day Registration](#): Yes
- [Automatic Voter Registration](#): Yes

Hard to Cheat

- [In-Person Voter ID](#): Photo ID
- [Absentee Voter ID](#): Signature match
- [Ballot Trafficking](#): Limited (members residing in the same household)
- [Secured Drop Boxes](#): Secured

2020 Turnout

- [Overall](#): 66.9%
- [African American](#): 63.8%
- [Hispanic](#): 54.7%
- [Asian](#): 45.1%

MINNESOTA

Easy to Vote

- [Early Voting](#): Begins 46 days prior to election, ends day before election. The county auditor's office and the clerk's office in each city must be open for acceptance of absentee ballot applications and casting of absentee ballots from 10:00 am to 3:00 pm on Saturday and until 5:00 pm on the day immediately preceding a primary, special, or general election unless that day falls on a Saturday or Sunday.
- [Absentee Voting](#): No excuse
- [Same Day Registration](#): Yes (Election Day)
- [Automatic Voter Registration](#): No

Hard to Cheat

- [In-Person Voter ID](#): No
- [Absentee Voter ID](#): Signature Match and witness signature
- [Ballot Trafficking](#): Limited
- [Secured Drop Boxes](#): Secured

2020 Turnout

- [Overall](#): 77.9%
- [African American](#): 66.1%
- [Hispanic](#): 62.7%
- [Asian](#): 64.0%

MISSISSIPPI

Easy to Vote

- [Early Voting](#): In-person absentee voting begins 45 days before election, ends at noon the Saturday before the election (MS Code § 23-15-715 (2015))
- [Absentee Voting](#): Excuse required
- [Same Day Registration](#): No
- [Automatic Voter Registration](#): No

Hard to Cheat

- [In-Person Voter ID](#): Photo ID
- [Absentee Voter ID](#): Witness signature/Signature match
- [Ballot Trafficking](#): Unspecified
- [Secured Drop Boxes](#): None

2020 Turnout

- [Overall](#): 70.3%
- [African American](#): 72.8%
- [Hispanic](#): TBD
- [Asian](#): TBD

MISSOURI

Easy to Vote

- [Early Voting](#): Missouri does not offer in-person absentee voting, but voters may vote by mail with an excuse.(MO § 115.277). Absentee ballots are made available not later than the sixth Tuesday prior to each election.
- [Absentee Voting](#): Excuse required
- [Same Day Registration](#): No
- [Automatic Voter Registration](#): No

Hard to Cheat

- [In-Person Voter ID](#): Photo or non-photo ID
- [Absentee Voter ID](#): Notary signature
- [Ballot Trafficking](#): Limited (close relatives only)
- [Secured Drop Boxes](#): None

2020 Turnout

- [Overall](#): 66.8%
- [African American](#): 69.2%
- [Hispanic](#): 53.3%
- [Asian](#): TBD

MONTANA

Easy to Vote

- [Early Voting](#): In-person absentee voting starts 30 days prior to election, ends day prior to the election
- [Absentee Voting](#): No excuse
- [Same Day Registration](#): No
- [Automatic Voter Registration](#): No

Hard to Cheat

- [In-Person Voter ID](#): Photo
- [Absentee Voter ID](#): Signature match
- [Ballot Trafficking](#): Family & Friends
- [Secured Drop Boxes](#): None. Voters can drop off ballots at their county election's office. In 2020, drop boxes were made available.

2020 Turnout

- [Overall](#): 73.5%
- [African American](#): TBD
- [Hispanic](#): TBD
- [Asian](#): TBD

NEBRASKA

Easy to Vote

- [Early Voting](#): Starts 30 days prior to election, ends election day.
- [Absentee Voting](#): No excuse
- [Same Day Registration](#): No
- [Automatic Voter Registration](#): No

Hard to Cheat

- [In-Person Voter ID](#): No
- [Absentee Voter ID](#): No, but envelope must contain oath signed by voter
- [Ballot Trafficking](#): Limited
- [Secured Drop Boxes](#): Unsecured

2020 Turnout

- [Overall](#): 65.2%
- [African American](#): TBD
- [Hispanic](#): TBD
- [Asian](#): TBD

NEVADA

Easy to Vote

- [Early Voting](#): All-mail voting with early voting options. In-person early voting begins the third Saturday preceding a primary or general election and extends through the Friday before election day.
- [Absentee Voting](#): All-mail voting, no excuse required
- [Same Day Registration](#): Yes (Election Day)
- [Automatic Voter Registration](#): Yes

Hard to Cheat

- [In-Person Voter ID](#): None
- [Absentee Voter ID](#): Signature match
- [Ballot Trafficking](#): Limited (family members)
- [Secured Drop Boxes](#): Secured

2020 Turnout

- [Overall](#): 61.5%
- [African American](#): 58.5%
- [Hispanic](#): 46.4%
- [Asian](#): 68.9%

NEW HAMPSHIRE

Easy to Vote

- [Early Voting](#): No in-person early voting option
- [Absentee Voting](#): Excuse required
- [Same Day Registration](#): Yes (Election Day)
- [Automatic Voter Registration](#): No

Hard to Cheat

- [In-Person Voter ID](#): Photo ID or execute a challenged voter affidavit (RSA 659:13)
- [Absentee Voter ID](#): No, voter must execute affidavit on envelope
- [Ballot Trafficking](#): Limited (family members may return ballots and must provide photo ID)
- [Secured Drop Boxes](#): None (allowed in 2020 under temporary change in law).

2020 Turnout

- [Overall](#): 74.0%
- [African American](#): *TBD*
- [Hispanic](#): *TBD*
- [Asian](#): *TBD*

NEW JERSEY

Easy to Vote

- [Early Voting](#): New Jersey enacted an in-person early voting law in 2021. In-person early voting begins on the 4th calendar day before a non-presidential primary election, on the 6th calendar day before a presidential primary election, and on the 10th calendar day before a general election. In all elections, it ends on the second calendar day before the election.
- [Absentee Voting](#): No excuse
- [Same Day Registration](#): No
- [Automatic Voter Registration](#): Yes

Hard to Cheat

- [In-Person Voter ID](#): No
- [Absentee Voter ID](#): Signature match
- [Ballot Trafficking](#): Limited
- [Secured Drop Boxes](#): Secured

2020 Turnout

- [Overall](#): 78.3%
- [African American](#): 71.3%
- [Hispanic](#): 72.1%
- [Asian](#): 77.9%

NEW MEXICO

Easy to Vote

- [Early Voting](#): Begins 28 days prior to election, ends Saturday prior to the election
- [Absentee Voting](#): No excuse
- [Same Day Registration](#): Yes
- [Automatic Voter Registration](#): Yes

Hard to Cheat

- [In-Person Voter ID](#): No
- [Absentee Voter ID](#): No, just required to sign ballot application and provide personal info
- [Ballot Trafficking](#): Limited (immediate family members or caregivers)
- [Secured Drop Boxes](#): Secured

2020 Turnout

- [Overall](#): 62.6%
- [African American](#): *TBD*
- [Hispanic](#): 53.8%
- [Asian](#): *TBD*

NEW YORK

Easy to Vote

- [Early Voting](#): Starts 10 days prior to election, ends the second day prior to the election
- [Absentee Voting](#): Excuse
- [Same Day Registration](#): No
- [Automatic Voter Registration](#): Yes

Hard to Cheat

- [In-Person Voter ID](#): No
- [Absentee Voter ID](#): Signature match
- [Ballot Trafficking](#): Unspecified
- [Secured Drop Boxes](#): None

2020 Turnout

- [Overall](#): 64.7%
- [African American](#): 62.7%
- [Hispanic](#): 54.9%
- [Asian](#): 51.9%

NORTH CAROLINA

Easy to Vote

- [Early Voting](#): Starts on the third Thursday prior to election, ends 3pm on the last Saturday prior to the election
- [Absentee Voting](#): No excuse
- [Same Day Registration](#): Yes (only during the early voting period)
- [Automatic Voter Registration](#): No

Hard to Cheat

- [In-Person Voter ID](#): No (voter ID law was struck down)
- [Absentee Voter ID](#): Ballot must be signed by two witnesses or a notary public.
- [Ballot Trafficking](#): Limited (close family members or a legal guardian)
- [Secured Drop Boxes](#): None

2020 Turnout

- [Overall](#): 64.7%
- [African American](#): 63.4%
- [Hispanic](#): 48.8%
- [Asian](#): 70.9%

NORTH DAKOTA

Easy to Vote

- [Early Voting](#): Optional per county, but if offered must start 15 days prior to election, and end day prior to the election
- [Absentee Voting](#): No excuse
- [Same Day Registration](#): No
- [Automatic Voter Registration](#): No

Hard to Cheat

- [In-Person Voter ID](#): Photo or Non-Photo ID
- [Absentee Voter ID](#): Signature match
- [Ballot Trafficking](#): Limited
- [Secured Drop Boxes](#): None (although some counties utilized them in 2020).

2020 Turnout

- [Overall](#): 67.1%
- [African American](#): TBD
- [Hispanic](#): TBD
- [Asian](#): TBD

OHIO

Easy to Vote

- [Early Voting](#): Starts 28 days prior to election, ends 2pm Monday prior to the election. Weekend voting is available during the weekend prior to the election. A uniform statewide early voting schedule is set by the Secretary of State.
- [Absentee Voting](#): No excuse
- [Same Day Registration](#): No
- [Automatic Voter Registration](#): No

Hard to Cheat

- [In-Person Voter ID](#): Photo or Non-Photo ID
- [Absentee Voter ID](#): Signature match
- [Ballot Trafficking](#): Limited (family members)
- [Secured Drop Boxes](#): Not secured

2020 Turnout

- [Overall](#): 70.1%
- [African American](#): 65.1%
- [Hispanic](#): 58.7%
- [Asian](#): 57.5%

OKLAHOMA

Easy to Vote

- [Early Voting](#): For general elections, in-person absentee voting begins the Wednesday prior to election, ends 2pm the Saturday prior to the election.
- [Absentee Voting](#): No excuse
- [Same Day Registration](#): No
- [Automatic Voter Registration](#): No

Hard to Cheat

- [In-Person Voter ID](#): Photo or Non-Photo ID
- [Absentee Voter ID](#): Notary signature required
- [Ballot Trafficking](#): Ban
- [Secured Drop Boxes](#): None

2020 Turnout

- [Overall](#): 58.3%
- [African American](#): 49.5%
- [Hispanic](#): 30.3%
- [Asian](#): *TBD*

OREGON

Easy to Vote

- [Early Voting](#): All-mail voting with in-person early voting options
- [Absentee Voting](#): All-mail voting
- [Same Day Registration](#): No
- [Automatic Voter Registration](#): Yes

Hard to Cheat

- [In-Person Voter ID](#): None
- [Absentee Voter ID](#): Signature match
- [Ballot Trafficking](#): Open
- [Secured Drop Boxes](#): Secured

2020 Turnout

- [Overall](#): 74.1%
- [African American](#): 51.2%
- [Hispanic](#): 51.9%
- [Asian](#): 60.6%

PENNSYLVANIA

Easy to Vote

- [Early Voting](#): In-person absentee voting begins 50 days prior to election, ends first Tuesday prior to the election
- [Absentee Voting](#): No excuse
- [Same Day Registration](#): No
- [Automatic Voter Registration](#): No

Hard to Cheat

- [In-Person Voter ID](#): No (voter ID law struck down by state supreme court)
- [Absentee Voter ID](#): No
- [Ballot Trafficking](#): Ban except for voters with disabilities who designate an agent in writing
- [Secured Drop Boxes](#): Secured

2020 Turnout

- [Overall](#): 70.2%
- [African American](#): 70.8%
- [Hispanic](#): 54.3%
- [Asian](#): 49.1%

RHODE ISLAND

Easy to Vote

- [Early Voting](#): Starts 20 days prior to election, ends day prior to the election
- [Absentee Voting](#): No excuse
- [Same Day Registration](#): No
- [Automatic Voter Registration](#): Yes

Hard to Cheat

- [In-Person Voter ID](#): Photo or non-photo ID
- [Absentee Voter ID](#): 2 Witness signatures or a notary signature required and signature match
- [Ballot Trafficking](#): Does not specify
- [Secured Drop Boxes](#): Unsecured

2020 Turnout

- [Overall](#): 66.3%
- [African American](#): TBD
- [Hispanic](#): TBD
- [Asian](#): TBD

SOUTH CAROLINA

Easy to Vote

- [Early Voting](#): None (early voting was temporarily offered in 2020 due to COVID-19)
- [Absentee Voting](#): Excuse required
- [Same Day Registration](#): No
- [Automatic Voter Registration](#): No

Hard to Cheat

- [In-Person Voter ID](#): Photo ID
- [Absentee Voter ID](#): Witness signature
- [Ballot Trafficking](#): Limited, voter can designate agent in writing
- [Secured Drop Boxes](#): None

2020 Turnout

- [Overall](#): 63.4%
- [African American](#): 53.9%
- [Hispanic](#): 38.3%
- [Asian](#): *TBD*

SOUTH DAKOTA

Easy to Vote

- [Early Voting](#): In-person absentee voting begins 46 days prior to election, ends 5pm the day prior to the election (S.D.C.L. § 12-19-1.2)
- [Absentee Voting](#): No excuse
- [Same Day Registration](#): No
- [Automatic Voter Registration](#): No

Hard to Cheat

- [In-Person Voter ID](#): Photo ID
- [Absentee Voter ID](#): Signature match
- [Ballot Trafficking](#): Limited
- [Secured Drop Boxes](#): Unsecured

2020 Turnout

- [Overall](#): 58.5%
- [African American](#): *TBD*
- [Hispanic](#): *TBD*
- [Asian](#): *TBD*

TENNESSEE

Easy to Vote

- [Early Voting](#): Starts 20 days prior to election, ends 5 days prior to the election
- [Absentee Voting](#): Excuse
- [Same Day Registration](#): No
- [Automatic Voter Registration](#): No

Hard to Cheat

- [In-Person Voter ID](#): Photo ID
- [Absentee Voter ID](#): Signature match
- [Ballot Trafficking](#): Ban
- [Secured Drop Boxes](#): None

2020 Turnout

- [Overall](#): 66.4%
- [African American](#): 69.4%
- [Hispanic](#): 41.4%
- [Asian](#): TBD

TEXAS

Easy to Vote

- [Early Voting](#): Starts 17 days prior to election, ends 4 days prior to the election
- [Absentee Voting](#): Excuse
- [Same Day Registration](#): No
- [Automatic Voter Registration](#): No

Hard to Cheat

- [In-Person Voter ID](#): Photo
- [Absentee Voter ID](#): ID required (NOTE: Texas also maintains a signature verification process, but is only done in certain circumstances if identifying information does not line up)
- [Ballot Trafficking](#): Friends and Family
- [Secured Drop Boxes](#): None

2020 Turnout

- [Overall](#): 63.9%
- [African American](#): 60.8%
- [Hispanic](#): 53.1%
- [Asian](#): 58.7%

UTAH

Easy to Vote

- [Early Voting](#): All-mail voting with early voting options
- [Absentee Voting](#): All-Mail
- [Same Day Registration](#): Yes
- [Automatic Voter Registration](#): No

Hard to Cheat

- [In-Person Voter ID](#): Photo or Non-Photo ID
- [Absentee Voter ID](#): Signature match
- [Ballot Trafficking](#): Unspecified
- [Secured Drop Boxes](#): Unsecured based on photos of drop boxes and location maps.

2020 Turnout

- [Overall](#): 63.6%
- [African American](#): TBD
- [Hispanic](#): 49.6%
- [Asian](#): TBD

VERMONT

Easy to Vote

- [Early Voting](#): All-mail voting with 45 days of early voting options
- [Absentee Voting](#): All-Mail
- [Same Day Registration](#): Yes
- [Automatic Voter Registration](#): Yes

Hard to Cheat

- [In-Person Voter ID](#): None
- [Absentee Voter ID](#): None
- [Ballot Trafficking](#): Unspecified
- [Secured Drop Boxes](#): Secured, every town has a drop box at the clerk's office

2020 Turnout

- [Overall](#): 68.4%%
- [African American](#): TBD
- [Hispanic](#): TBD
- [Asian](#): TBD

VIRGINIA

Easy to Vote

- [Early Voting](#): Starts 45 days prior to election, ends at 5pm Saturday prior to the election
- [Absentee Voting](#): No excuse
- [Same Day Registration](#): No (Virginia will begin same-day registration in October 2022)
- [Automatic Voter Registration](#): Yes

Hard to Cheat

- [In-Person Voter ID](#): Photo or Non-Photo ID
- [Absentee Voter ID](#): Witness
- [Ballot Trafficking](#): Limited
- [Secured Drop Boxes](#): Secured by video surveillance

2020 Turnout

- [Overall](#): 71.5%
- [African American](#): 63.9%
- [Hispanic](#): 51.3%
- [Asian](#): 61.8%

WASHINGTON

Easy to Vote

- [Early Voting](#): All-mail voting with early voting options
- [Absentee Voting](#): All-Mail
- [Same Day Registration](#): Yes
- [Automatic Voter Registration](#): Yes

Hard to Cheat

- [In-Person Voter ID](#): Photo or Non-Photo ID
- [Absentee Voter ID](#): Signature match
- [Ballot Trafficking](#): Unspecified
- [Secured Drop Boxes](#): Unsecured

2020 Turnout

- [Overall](#): 71.5%
- [African American](#): 61.9%
- [Hispanic](#): 53.7%
- [Asian](#): 62.8%

WEST VIRGINIA

Easy to Vote

- [Early Voting](#): Starts 13 days prior to election, ends 3 days prior to the election
- [Absentee Voting](#): Excuse
- [Same Day Registration](#): No
- [Automatic Voter Registration](#): Yes

Hard to Cheat

- [In-Person Voter ID](#): Photo or Non-Photo ID
- [Absentee Voter ID](#): Signature match
- [Ballot Trafficking](#): Limited
- [Secured Drop Boxes](#): None

2020 Turnout

- [Overall](#): 56.1%
- [African American](#): TBD
- [Hispanic](#): TBD
- [Asian](#): TBD

WISCONSIN

Easy to Vote

- [Early Voting](#): Starts 14 days prior to election, ends Sunday prior to the election
- [Absentee Voting](#): No excuse
- [Same Day Registration](#): Yes
- [Automatic Voter Registration](#): No

Hard to Cheat

- [In-Person Voter ID](#): Photo ID
- [Absentee Voter ID](#): Witness
- [Ballot Trafficking](#): Unspecified
- [Secured Drop Boxes](#): Secured

2020 Turnout

- [Overall](#): 73.6%
- [African American](#): 43.5%
- [Hispanic](#): 58.4%
- [Asian](#): TBD

WYOMING

Easy to Vote

- [Early Voting](#): Starts 45 days prior to election, ends day prior to the election
- [Absentee Voting](#): No excuse
- [Same Day Registration](#): Yes
- [Automatic Voter Registration](#): No

Hard to Cheat

- [In-Person Voter ID](#): Photo or Non-Photo ID
- [Absentee Voter ID](#): None
- [Ballot Trafficking](#): Unspecified
- [Secured Drop Boxes](#): None

2020 Turnout

- [Overall](#): 65.5%
- [African American](#): TBD
- [Hispanic](#): TBD
- [Asian](#): TBD