

## PUBLIC OPINION SURVEY: COVID-19 IMPACT ON NURSING HOMES AND ASSISTED LIVING COMMUNITIES

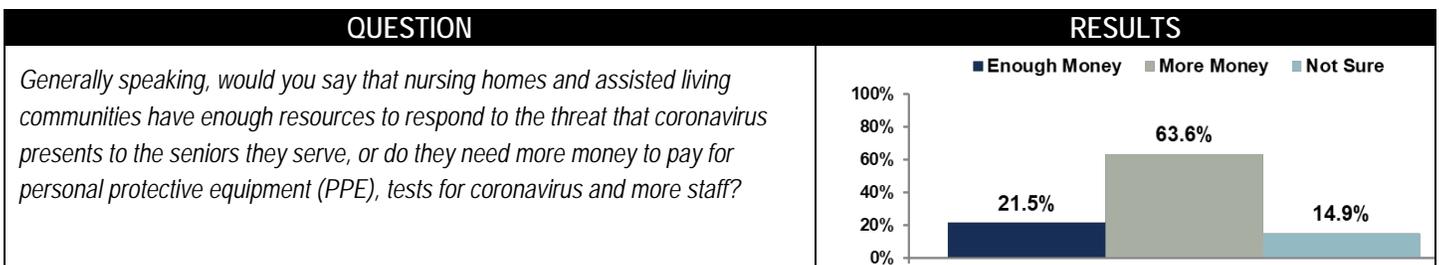
GS Strategy Group conducted an online survey on behalf of the American Health Care Association and National Center for Assisted Living (AHCA/NCAL) from May 6-9, 2020 among 1,500 registered voters throughout the United States. Below are some key findings from that research.

### TOP TAKEAWAYS

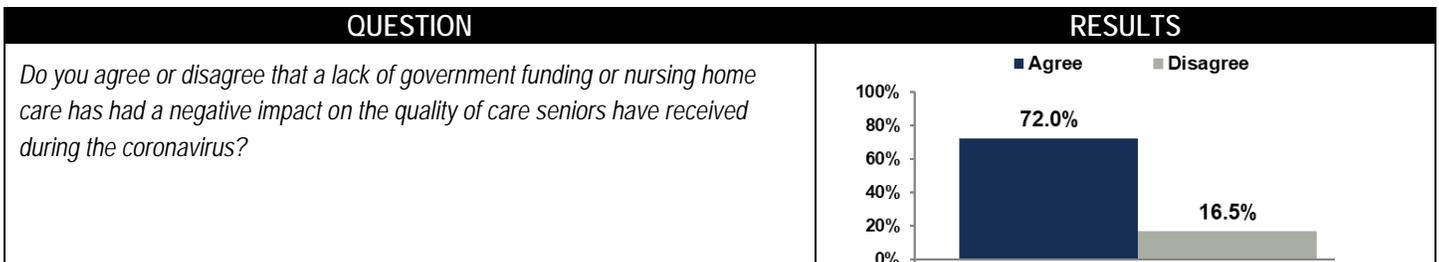
- A vast majority of voters believe long term care facilities need more support from the government and the lack of support thus far has negatively impacted their ability to protect seniors.
- Overwhelmingly, voters want the government to provide long term care facilities with the same resources as hospitals including over 80 percent of those over 65 years old supporting an additional \$10 billion in funding for long term care facilities to provide additional PPE, staff, and testing to residents.

### KEY FINDINGS

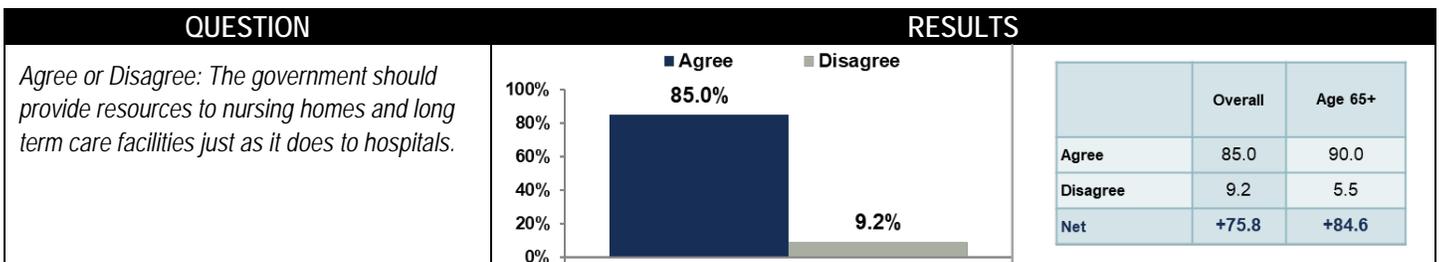
By a three-to-one margin, voters say that nursing homes and assisted living communities need more money for PPE, staff, and increased testing capabilities.



72 percent of voters agree that a lack of government funding has had a negative impact on the quality of care that residents of these facilities are receiving.



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As a result, more than three-quarters of voters (including over 80 percent of those over 65 years old) support an additional \$10 billion in funding for long term care facilities to provide additional PPE, staff, and testing to residents.

