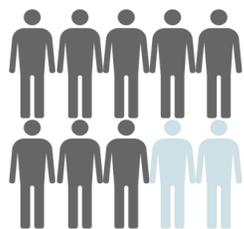
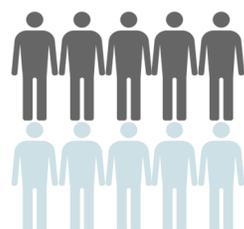


# New York Respondents Struggle to Afford Health Care: Selected Results from the Consumer Health Care Experience State Survey (CHESS)



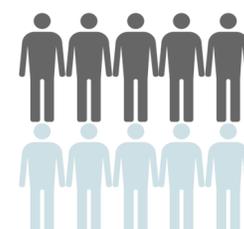
**76%**

reported being “worried” or “very worried” about affording some aspect of health care in the future.



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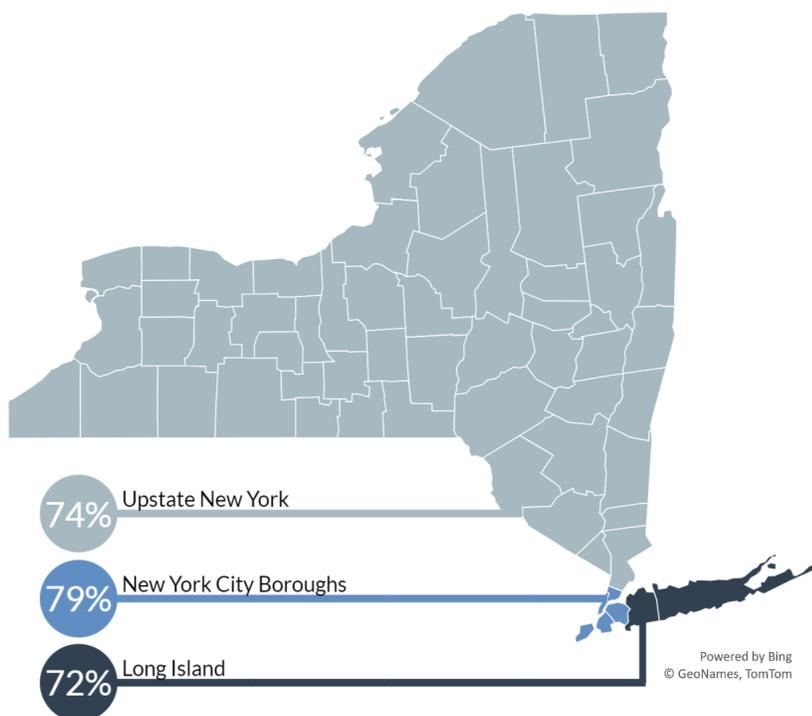
experienced at least one health care affordability burden in the past year.



**45%**

reported delaying or going without care due to cost in the past twelve months.

## Percent “Worried” or “Very Worried” about Affording Health Care in the Future, by Region



**93% of respondents agreed that they believe the government should make it easy to switch insurers if a health plan drops your doctor**, including 91% of Republican respondents, 95% of Democrat respondents, and 90% of unaffiliated respondents.

**90% of respondents agreed that they believe the government should require hospitals and doctors to provide up-front patient cost estimates to consumers**, including 88% of Republican respondents, 91% of Democrat respondents, and 90% of unaffiliated respondents.

**90% of respondents agreed that they believe the government should require insurers to provide up front cost estimates to consumers**, including 88% of Republican respondents, 93% of Democrat respondents, and 88% of unaffiliated respondents.

**89% of respondents agreed that they believe the government should show what a fair price should be for specific procedures**, including 88% of Republican respondents, 92% of Democrat respondents, and 87% of unaffiliated respondents.

**87% of respondents agreed that they believe the government should set prohibit drug companies from charging more in the United States than abroad**, including 86% of Republican respondents, 90% of Democrat respondents, and 84% of unaffiliated respondents.