



### Preferred Source For Obtaining a Dog or Cat (Unaided Responses)

Question 48: If you wanted a dog or cat as a pet, where would you go to get one?

	<i>Total Sample (N=1615)</i>
City Animal Services (pound)	37%
Humane Society	32%
Pet store	10%
Private sale/classified ads	9%
Do not want dog or cat	7%
Family/friends	6%
Adoption agency	5%
Rescue agency	3%
Get stray/abandoned animals	*
Nowhere in particular	3%
Don't know/won't say	4%

\* Less than 1% reported.

Note: The sum of the percentages exceeds 100% due to multiple responses.

### Currently Own At Least One Dog or Cat That Resides In Albuquerque

Question 49: Do you currently own at least one dog or cat that lives with you in Albuquerque?

	Total Sample (N=1615)	Ethnicity					Education					Income				
		Hispanic	Anglo	African Amer.	Native Amer. Indian	Asian	Some HS or Less	High School Grad.	Some College	4-Year College Grad.	Grad. Work/Degree	\$20,000 or Less	\$20,001 to \$35,000	\$35,001 to \$50,000	\$50,001 to \$75,000	Over \$75,000
Yes	56%	53%	61%	37%	47%	29%	49%	49%	58%	62%	59%	45%	56%	59%	61%	64%
No	44%	47%	39%	61%	53%	71%	51%	51%	42%	38%	41%	55%	44%	41%	39%	36%
Don't know/won't say	*	*	*	2%	-	-	-	*	*	*	-	*	-	-	*	-

  

	Total Sample (N=1615)	Gender		Age				Length of Residency				Household Members Under 18		Number of People Living in Home			
		Male	Female	18-24 Years	25-34 Years	35-49 Years	50-64 Years	65 Years & Over	Less than 2 Years	2 to 5 Years	6 to 19 Years	20 Years or More	Yes	No	One	2 People	3 People or More
Yes	56%	53%	58%	63%	55%	66%	55%	37%	44%	50%	63%	55%	64%	51%	42%	52%	64%
No	44%	47%	42%	36%	45%	34%	45%	63%	56%	50%	37%	45%	36%	49%	57%	48%	36%
Don't know/won't say	*	*	*	1%	-	-	1%	-	-	-	*	*	-	*	1%	-	*

  

	Total Sample (N=1615)	CPA								Type of Home		Rent or Own Home		
		West-side	SW Mesa/South Valley	Central ABQ	North Valley	Near Heights	Mid-Heights	East Gateway	Foot-hills	North ABQ	House	Apartment	Own	Rent
Yes	56%	64%	58%	48%	58%	56%	49%	58%	53%	56%	61%	37%	59%	45%
No	44%	36%	42%	52%	42%	43%	51%	42%	46%	44%	39%	63%	41%	55%
Don't know/won't say	*	-	-	-	-	*	-	*	1%	-	*	-	*	*

\* Less than 1% reported.

### Source Where Current Dog or Cat Was Obtained

Among Those Who Currently Own At Least One Dog or Cat  
(Unaided Responses)

Question 50: From where did you get the dogs and/or cats that currently live with you?

	<i>Total Responses (N=899)</i>
Family/friends	41%
Private sale/classified ad	19%
City Animal Services (pound)	17%
Humane Society	14%
Pet store	6%
Rescue agency	5%
Stray/abandoned	4%
Adoption agency	4%
Found on property	1%
Don't know/won't say	1%

Note: The sum of the percentages exceeds 100% due to multiple responses.

## Have Taken Dogs or Cats to a Veterinarian For an Annual Health Checkup In the Last 12 Months

*Among Those Who Currently Own At Least One Dog or Cat*

Question 51: Over the last 12 months, have you taken your dogs or cats to a veterinarian for an annual health check up?

	Total Responses (N=899)	Ethnicity					Education					Income				
		Hispanic	Anglo	African Amer.	Native Amer. Indian	Asian	Some HS or Less	High School Grad.	Some College	4-Year College Grad.	Grad. Work/Degree	\$20,000 or Less	\$20,001 to \$35,000	\$35,001 to \$50,000	\$50,001 to \$75,000	Over \$75,000
Yes	89%	88%	90%	94%	78%	86%	81%	88%	91%	90%	91%	87%	92%	90%	91%	88%
No	10%	12%	9%	6%	22%	14%	19%	12%	8%	9%	9%	12%	8%	10%	9%	11%
Don't know/won't say	*	-	1%	-	-	-	-	-	1%	1%	-	1%	-	-	-	1%

  

	Total Responses (N=899)	Gender		Age				Length of Residency				Household Members Under 18		Number of People Living in Home			
		Male	Female	18-24 Years	25-34 Years	35-49 Years	50-64 Years	65 Years & Over	Less than 2 Years	2 to 5 Years	6 to 19 Years	20 Years or More	Yes	No	One	2 People	3 People or More
Yes	89%	92%	87%	88%	87%	88%	93%	94%	81%	89%	91%	90%	85%	93%	90%	92%	88%
No	10%	8%	13%	12%	13%	11%	7%	6%	19%	11%	9%	10%	14%	7%	10%	8%	12%
Don't know/won't say	*	*	*	-	-	1%	-	-	-	-	1%	*	1%	-	-	-	1%

  

	Total Responses (N=899)	CPA								Type of Home		Rent or Own Home		
		West-side	SW Mesa/South Valley	Central ABQ	North Valley	Near Heights	Mid-Heights	East Gateway	Foot-hills	North ABQ	House	Apartment	Own	Rent
Yes	89%	88%	88%	79%	89%	88%	94%	86%	95%	90%	90%	80%	91%	84%
No	10%	12%	10%	21%	11%	12%	6%	14%	3%	10%	9%	19%	9%	15%
Don't know/won't say	*	-	2%	-	-	-	-	-	1%	-	*	2%	*	1%

\* Less than 1% reported.

## Dogs or Cats Are Currently Spayed or Neutered

Among Those Who Currently Own At Least One Dog or Cat

Question 52: Are your dogs or cats spayed or neutered at this time?

	Total Responses (N=899)	Ethnicity					Education					Income				
		Hispanic	Anglo	African Amer.	Native Amer. Indian	Asian	Some HS or Less	High School Grad.	Some College	4-Year College Grad.	Grad. Work/Degree	\$20,000 or Less	\$20,001 to \$35,000	\$35,001 to \$50,000	\$50,001 to \$75,000	Over \$75,000
Yes	83%	74%	89%	84%	59%	57%	71%	74%	81%	91%	90%	75%	82%	83%	77%	89%
No	12%	22%	5%	12%	33%	43%	20%	23%	12%	6%	5%	20%	10%	11%	15%	10%
Some are/some are not	4%	4%	6%	-	3%	-	8%	2%	7%	3%	4%	4%	8%	5%	6%	2%
Don't know/won't say	1%	*	*	4%	5%	-	1%	1%	*	1%	-	1%	-	-	1%	-

  

	Total Responses (N=899)	Gender		Age					Length of Residency				Household Members Under 18		Number of People Living in Home		
		Male	Female	18-24 Years	25-34 Years	35-49 Years	50-64 Years	65 Years & Over	Less than 2 Years	2 to 5 Years	6 to 19 Years	20 Years or More	Yes	No	One	2 People	3 People or More
Yes	83%	81%	84%	77%	81%	82%	85%	87%	84%	80%	79%	85%	77%	86%	86%	88%	79%
No	12%	15%	10%	23%	11%	11%	10%	11%	9%	7%	14%	13%	17%	9%	8%	7%	17%
Some are/some are not	4%	3%	5%	-	6%	7%	4%	1%	7%	13%	6%	2%	5%	4%	5%	5%	3%
Don't know/won't say	1%	*	1%	-	1%	*	1%	1%	-	-	1%	1%	1%	*	1%	-	1%

  

	Total Responses (N=899)	CPA								Type of Home		Rent or Own Home		
		West-side	SW Mesa/South Valley	Central ABQ	North Valley	Near Heights	Mid-Heights	East Gateway	Foot-hills	North ABQ	House	Apartment	Own	Rent
Yes	83%	86%	69%	73%	86%	79%	82%	82%	90%	92%	83%	85%	84%	77%
No	12%	12%	24%	18%	12%	16%	11%	10%	6%	5%	13%	9%	11%	16%
Don't know/won't say	1%	*	1%	3%	-	1%	1%	-	-	1%	1%	-	1%	-

\* Less than 1% reported.

**Reason Why Dogs or Cats Are Not Currently Spayed or Neutered**  
*Among Those Who Currently Own At Least One Dog or Cat That Is Not Spayed or Neutered*  
*(Unaided Responses)*

Question 53: Is there any particular reason why your dogs and cats are not spayed or neutered at this time?

	<i>Total Responses (N=151)</i>
Wanted to have puppies/kittens	24%
Too young	10%
Too expensive	7%
Never leaves the yard/not in contact with other pets	7%
Don't want to/don't believe in it	7%
Don't like to have pets spayed or neutered (in general)	5%
Vet keeps changing appointment	2%
It is cruel to the animal	2%
Don't have time	2%
Too old	1%
No reason in particular	29%
Don't know/won't say	4%

## Dogs or Cats Have a Microchip or Electronic Identification Tag

Among Those Who Currently Own At Least One Dog or Cat

Question 54: Do any of your dogs or cats have a microchip or electronic identification tag?

	Total Responses (N=899)	Ethnicity					Education					Income				
		Hispanic	Anglo	African Amer.	Native Amer. Indian	Asian	Some HS or Less	High School Grad.	Some College	4-Year College Grad.	Grad. Work/Degree	\$20,000 or Less	\$20,001 to \$35,000	\$35,001 to \$50,000	\$50,001 to \$75,000	Over \$75,000
Yes	36%	34%	38%	8%	49%	20%	27%	33%	39%	37%	36%	32%	39%	42%	32%	32%
No	63%	66%	60%	79%	51%	77%	67%	64%	60%	62%	64%	66%	61%	56%	66%	68%
Don't know/won't say	1%	1%	2%	12%	-	3%	6%	2%	1%	1%	-	2%	-	2%	2%	-

  

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		Male	Female	18-24 Years	25-34 Years	35-49 Years	50-64 Years	65 Years & Over	Less than 2 Years	2 to 5 Years	6 to 19 Years	20 Years or More	Yes	No	One	2 People	3 People or More
Yes	36%	34%	38%	43%	41%	35%	33%	32%	36%	52%	31%	36%	36%	36%	31%	37%	37%
No	63%	65%	61%	55%	58%	64%	65%	65%	57%	48%	68%	63%	63%	62%	66%	62%	62%
Don't know/won't say	1%	1%	1%	2%	-	1%	1%	3%	7%	-	1%	1%	1%	1%	3%	1%	1%

  

	Total Responses (N=899)	CPA								Type of Home		Rent or Own Home		
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Yes	36%	35%	37%	27%	25%	32%	39%	39%	38%	45%	37%	27%	37%	32%
No	63%	64%	60%	69%	72%	67%	60%	60%	62%	53%	62%	69%	62%	66%
Don't know/won't say	1%	1%	2%	4%	3%	1%	1%	1%	-	2%	1%	4%	1%	2%

### Dog or Dogs In the Neighborhood That Barks Excessively

Question 55: Is there a dog (or dogs) in your neighborhood that barks excessively?

	Total Sample (N=1615)	Ethnicity					Education					Income				
		Hispanic	Anglo	African Amer.	Native Amer. Indian	Asian	Some HS or Less	High School Grad.	Some College	4-Year College Grad.	Grad. Work/Degree	\$20,000 or Less	\$20,001 to \$35,000	\$35,001 to \$50,000	\$50,001 to \$75,000	Over \$75,000
Yes	36%	39%	34%	36%	39%	31%	46%	34%	32%	35%	38%	36%	35%	36%	28%	36%
No	64%	61%	66%	63%	58%	69%	54%	65%	67%	64%	62%	63%	64%	64%	72%	64%
Don't know/won't say	*	*	*	1%	3%	-	-	1%	*	1%	-	*	1%	-	-	-

  

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Yes	36%	33%	38%	31%	34%	39%	36%	34%	38%	34%	37%	35%	36%	35%	35%	34%	37%
No	64%	67%	61%	68%	65%	61%	64%	65%	62%	66%	62%	65%	63%	65%	65%	66%	62%
Don't know/won't say	*	*	1%	2%	*	*	-	1%	-	-	1%	*	1%	*	-	*	1%

  

	Total Sample (N=1615)	CPA								Type of Home		Rent or Own Home		
		West-side	SW Mesa/South Valley	Central ABQ	North Valley	Near Heights	Mid-Heights	East Gateway	Foot-hills	North ABQ	House	Apartment	Own	Rent
Yes	36%	46%	56%	35%	35%	28%	33%	25%	38%	31%	37%	25%	37%	31%
No	64%	54%	44%	65%	65%	70%	67%	75%	61%	69%	62%	75%	62%	69%
Don't know/won't say	*	-	-	-	1%	2%	*	-	1%	-	1%	-	*	1%

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