

Ireland Thinks.

Alcohol Action Ireland/Ireland Thinks June Poll 27<sup>th</sup> June 2017

## Methodology

- Ireland Thinks interviewed a random sample of 1,300 adults aged 18+ by telephone between Monday 12<sup>th</sup> June and Friday 16<sup>th</sup> of June 2017.
- A random digit dial (RDD) method was used to sample telephone numbers this was to ensure a random selection of respondents were contacted
- 80% of the sample was interviewed via their a mobile phone sample with the remainder drawn from a sample of landlines.
- Interviews were conducted across the country and the results weighted to the profile of all adults based on their Age, Gender, Nuts 3 Region, and Level of Educational attainment.
- The data was weighted to fit the profile of likely voters as drawn from voter propensity data from actual electoral data.
- Methodology fully compliant with ESOMAR standards.
- Raw data available on request.
- For further information please contact info@irelandthinks.ie

## Conclusions

- Excluding those that neither agree nor disagree:
  - 78 per cent are concerned about children and their exposure to children
  - 92 per cent agree that the current level of alcohol consumption is too high
  - 74 per cent agree that the government has to intervene to reduce consumption and protect individuals from alcohol-related harm
  - 82 per cent agree that alcohol marketing that appeals to young people should be prohibited in Ireland
- Only a small number are unclear about their position on these issues. In each case 7 to 8 per cent neither agree nor disagree.
- In relation to alcohol consumption, government intervention and alcohol marketing a significant proportion strongly agree with these statements. 14 to 25 per cent 'Strongly agree' and a further 51 to 61 per cent 'Agree'.

## "Are you concerned about children and their exposure to alcohol?"













"Please state whether you Agree, Disagree, Strongly Agree, Strongly Disagree or Neither Agree nor Disagree with the following: The current level of alcohol consumption in Ireland is too high"













The current level of alcohol consumption in Ireland is too high ([strongly]





The current level of alcohol consumption in Ireland is too high ([strongly] agree versus [strongly] disagree excluding neither)





The current level of alcohol consumption in Ireland is too high ([strongly] agree versus [strongly] disagree excluding neither)

"Please state whether you Agree, Disagree, Strongly Agree, Strongly Disagree or Neither Agree nor Disagree with the following: The government has to intervene to help reduce consumption and protect individuals from alcohol related harm"





















"Please state whether you Agree, Disagree, Strongly Agree, Strongly Disagree or Neither Agree nor Disagree with the following: Alcohol Marketing that appeals to young people should be prohibited in Ireland"



















