

## SURVEY: NEARLY 60% OF AMERICANS UNLIKELY TO TRAVEL FOR HOLIDAYS

A new national survey conducted by Morning Consult October 30-November 1, 2021, on behalf of the American Hotel & Lodging Association (AHLA) shows that while rising vaccination rates against COVID-19 have increased travelers' comfort levels, most Americans are still opting to stay home this holiday season.

## **Majority of Americans Not Traveling for Holidays in 2021**

61%

UNLIKELY TO TRAVEL FOR THANKSGIVING

**59%** 

UNLIKELY TO TRAVEL FOR CHRISTMAS

## Among those who are traveling:

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PLAN TO DRIVE (68% THANKSGIVING, 64% CHRISTMAS) <15%

PLAN TO FLY (11% THANKSGIVING, 14% CHRISTMAS) <25%

PLAN TO STAY IN A HOTEL (22% THANKSGIVING, 23% CHRISTMAS)

## **Pandemic, Gas Prices Dampening Travel Plans**

58%

ONLY VACATIONING
WITHIN DRIVING
DISTANCE DUE TO COVID

**52%** 

TAKING FEWER TRIPS
DUE TO RISING GAS
PRICES

53%

TAKING SHORTER TRIPS

DUE TO RISING GAS

PRICES

**Morning Consult Survey Methodology:** The poll was conducted October 30-November 1, 2021, among a national sample of 2200 Adults. The interviews were conducted online, and the data were weighted to approximate a target sample of adults based on gender, educational attainment, age, race, and region. Results from the full survey have a margin of error of plus or minus 2 percentage points.