

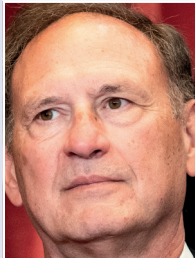
U.S. opinions on abortion

With the U.S. Supreme Court poised to overturn the landmark **Roe v. Wade** ruling, which legalised abortion, most Americans believe the court should uphold the 1973 **Roe** decision

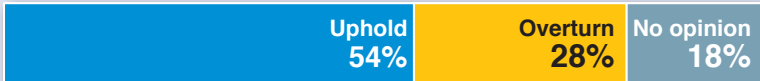


■ **Roe v. Wade: Norma McCorvey**, (left) former “**Jane Roe**” in Supreme Court decision, which ruled that individual state laws banning abortion were unconstitutional

■ **Court opinion:** Justice **Samuel Alito** (right) writes, “It is time to heed the Constitution and return the issue of abortion to the people’s elected representatives”



Do you think the Supreme Court should uphold **Roe v. Wade** or overturn it?



Do you think abortions should be legal or illegal when...

... the woman’s physical health is endangered

No opinion **6%**



... there’s evidence of serious birth defects

No opinion



... the pregnancy was caused by rape or incest

No opinion **5%**



0 20 40 60 80 100%

Washington Post-ABC poll, conducted April 24-28 among a random national sample of 1,004 adults. Margin of error: plus or minus 3.5%