

## **Appendix A: Variable Coding**

### **Variable Used in Empirical Analyses**

*Age* – continuous, respondent's age

*Gender<sup>i</sup>* – binary, 0 = man; 1 = woman

*Race* – binary, White = 1; Other races = 0

*Education* – continuous, 0 = did not graduate from high school; 1 = high school graduate/GED; 2 = some college, but no degree (yet); 3 = 2-year college degree; 4 = 4-year college degree; 5 = postgraduate degree; 6 = doctorate

*Income* – continuous, 0 = Less than \$10,000; 1 = \$10,001 - \$20,000; 2 = \$20,001 - \$30,000; 3 = \$30,001 - \$40,000; 4 = \$40,001 - \$50,000; 5 = \$50,001 - \$60,000; 6 = \$60,001 - \$70,000; 7 = \$70,001 - \$80,000; 8 = \$80,001 - \$90,000; 9 = \$90,001 - \$100,000; 10 = \$100,001 - \$150,000; 11 = greater than \$150,001

*Religiosity* – continuous 10-point scale, 0 = not at all important to 10 = to a great degree important

*Partisan Identification* – nominal, Democrat; Independent; Republican; leaners coded as partisans

*Political Ideology* – continuous 10-point scale, 0 = very liberal to 10 = very conservative

*Hostile Sexism* – factor scores of three measures, 1. Women seek to gain power by getting control over men. 2. Women exaggerate problems they have at work. 3. Once a woman gets a man to commit to her, she usually tries to put him on a tight leash. Continuous, level of agreement from 0 = completely disagree to 5 = neither disagree nor agree to 10 Completely agree.

*Abortion Encounter* – binary, Do you know anyone that has voluntarily terminated a pregnancy (including yourself, if applicable)? 0 = no; 1 = yes.

### **Variables Used in Robustness Checks**

*Religion* – nominal, none; Catholic; Protestant; Other

*Parent* – binary, Are you currently a parent, have you ever had a child, and/or have you been a parent to a child? 0 = not a parent; 1 = parent to a child

*Benevolent Sexism* – factor scores of three measures, 1. Women should be cherished and protected by men. 2. Women, compared to men, have a superior moral sensibility. 3. Every man ought to have a woman whom he adores. Continuous, level of agreement from 0 = completely disagree to 5 = neither disagree nor agree to 10 Completely agree.

*Political Knowledge* – factors scores from four knowledge questions, 1. Which 1974 U.S. Supreme Court case created a national protected right to have an abortion?, 2. Which 2022 U.S. Supreme Court case ended the national protected right to have an abortion?, 3. Which of these medications is the most utilized abortion prescription medication in the U.S.?, Recently, a state supreme court ruled that frozen embryos are children under that state's law. In which state did this ruling occur? Multiple choice questions were coded: 0 = incorrect; 1 = correct.

## Appendix B: Descriptive Statistics

### Variable Used in Empirical Analyses

Table B1: Descriptive Statistics – Independent Variables

Variable	Min	Median	Mean	Max	SD
Age	18	39	41.33	83	12.83
Education	0	4	3.49	6	1.35
Income	0	6	6.38	11	3.42
Political Ideology	0	4	3.98	10	2.82
Political Interest	0	2	2.12	3	0.83
Religiosity	0	2	3.76	10	3.78
Variable	Dem	Ind	Rep		
Party ID	52.33%	25.10%	22.57%		
Variable	Men	Women			
Gender	48.46%	51.54%			
Variable	White	Non-White			
Race	68.86%	31.15%			
Variable	No	Yes			
Abortion Encounter	41.74%	58.26%			

Table B2: Hostile Sexism

Hostile Sexism	Mean (SD)
Women seek to gain power by getting control over men.	3.09 (2.69)
Women exaggerate problems they have at work.	3.10 (2.66)
Once a woman gets a man to commit to her, she usually tries to put him on a tight leash.	3.18 (2.79)

### Variables Used in Robustness Checks

Table B3: Descriptive Statistics - Robustness Check Variables

Variable	None	Catholic	Protestant	Other
Religion	42.00%	16.14%	20.30%	21.56%
Variable	No	Yes		
Parent	45.78%	54.22%		

Table B4: Benevolent Sexism

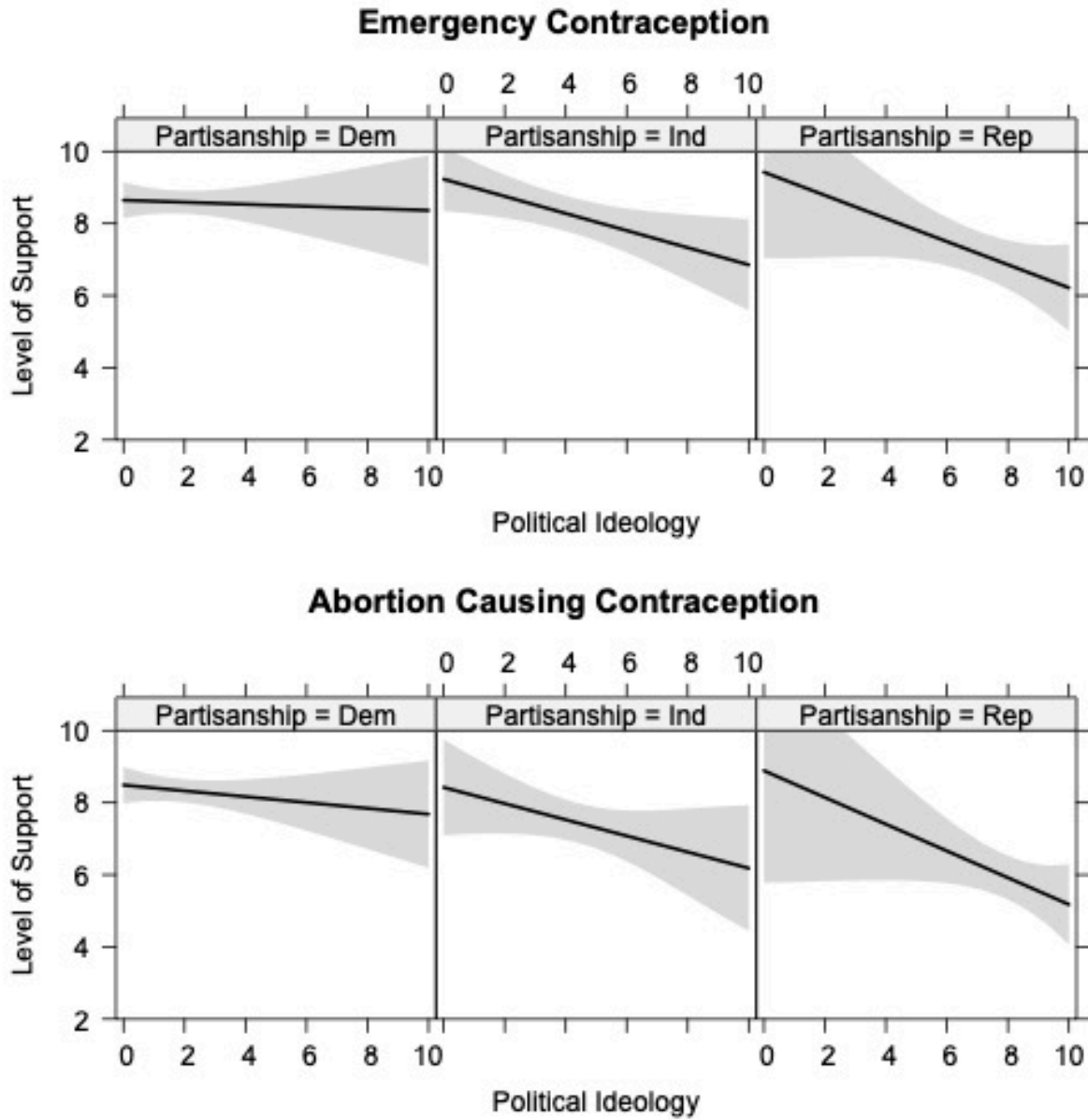
Benevolent Sexism	Mean (SD)
Women should be cherished and protected by men.	6.40 (2.87)
Women, compared to men, have a superior moral sensibility.	4.27 (2.69)
Every man ought to have a woman whom he adores.	5.19 (3.25)

Table B5: Abortion Knowledge Questions

<b>Question</b>	<b>Correct</b>
Which 1974 U.S. Supreme Court case created a national protected right to have an abortion?	93.30%
Which 2022 U.S. Supreme Court case ended the national protected right to have an abortion?	52.15%
Which of these medications is the most utilized abortion prescription medication in the U.S.?	61.95%
Recently, a state supreme court ruled that frozen embryos are children under that state's law. In which state did this ruling occur?	65.66%

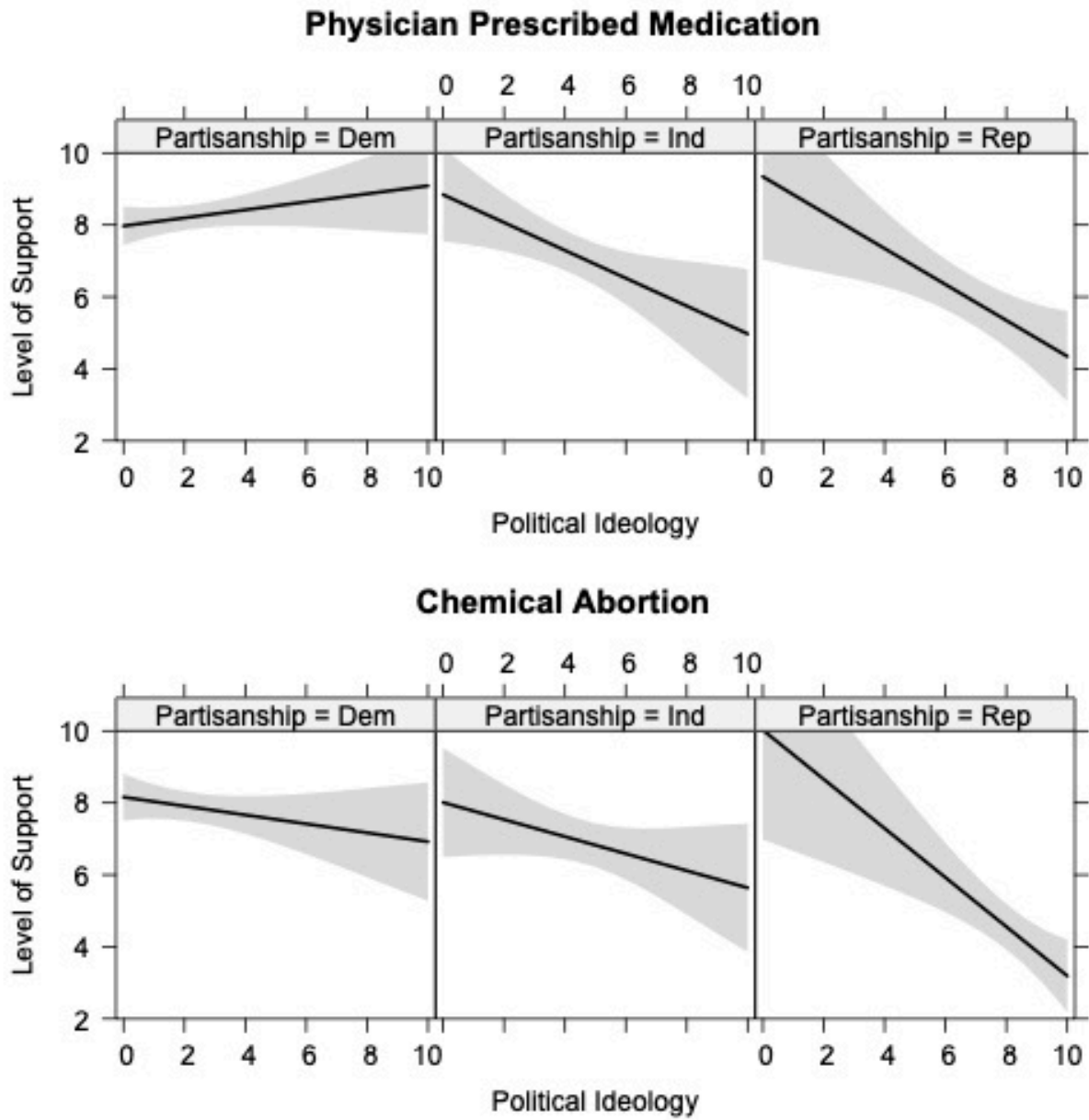
## Appendix C: Predictions for an Interactive Relationship between Political Ideology and Partisanship

Figure C1: Interactive Effect on Predicting Support: Emergency Contraception vs. Abortion Causing Contraception



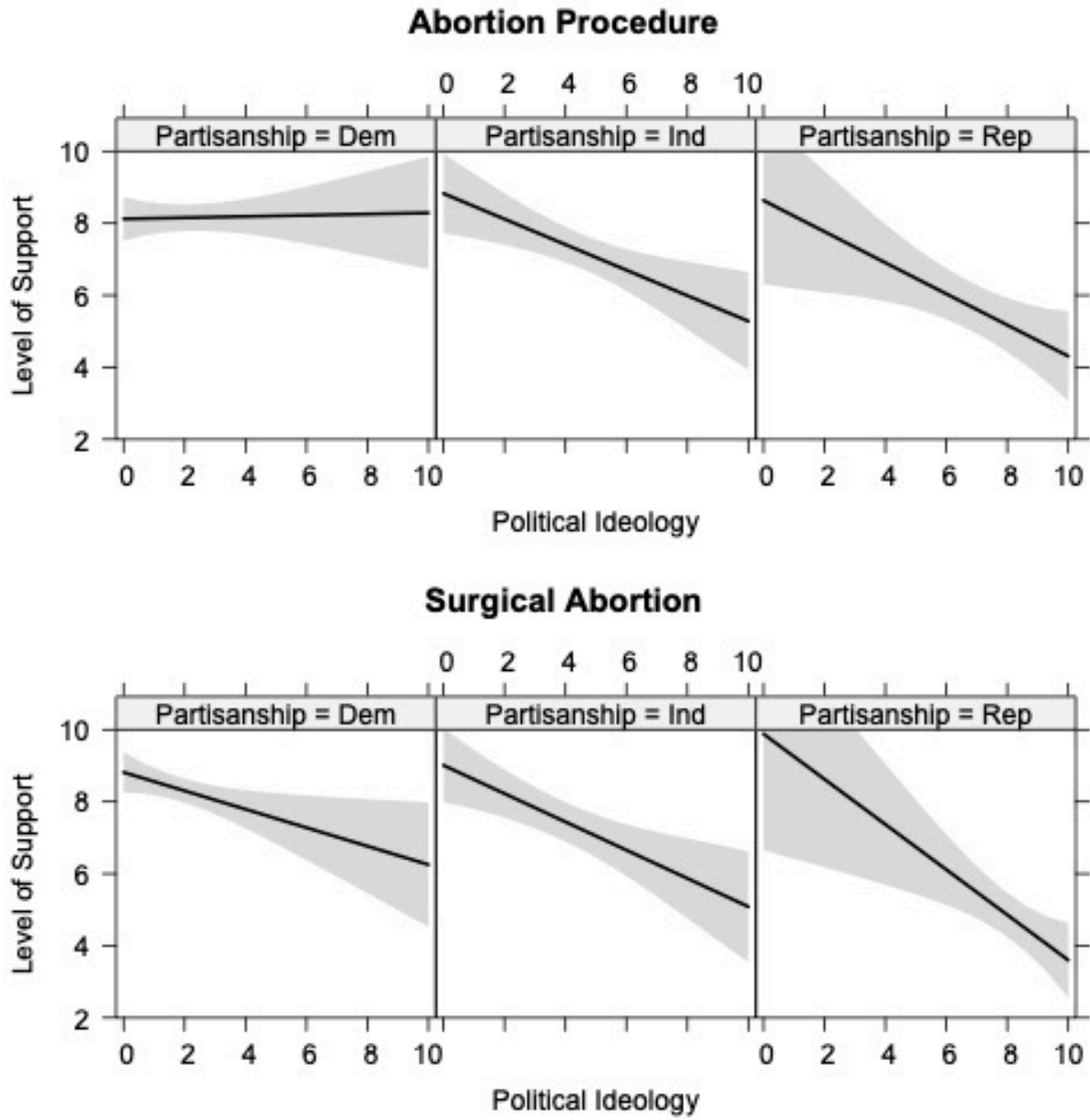
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Figure C2: Interactive Effect on Predicting Support: Physician Prescribed Medication vs. Chemical Abortion



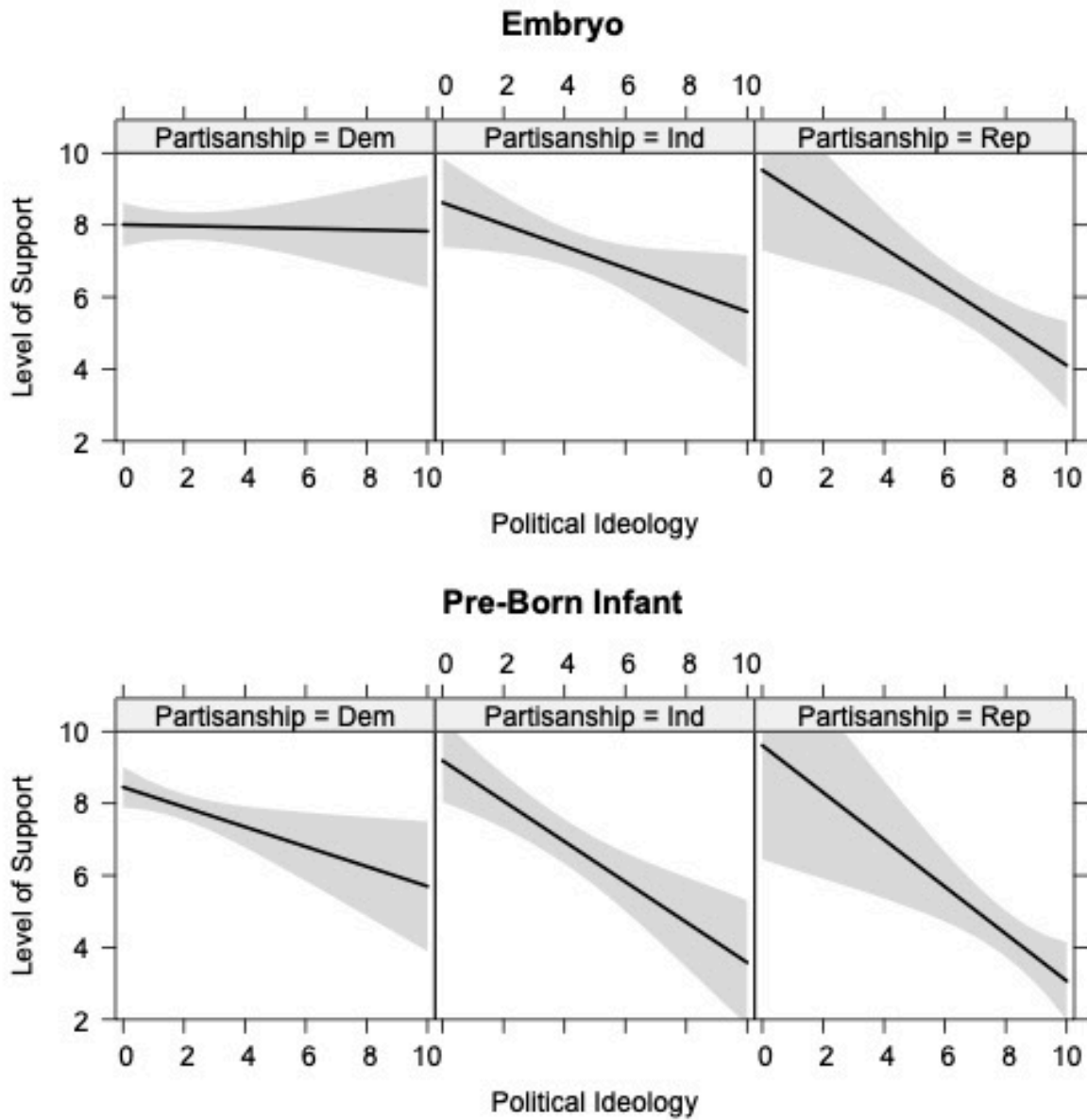
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Figure C3: Interactive Effect on Predicting Support: Abortion Procedure vs. Surgical Abortion



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Figure C4: Interactive Effect on Predicting Support: Embryo vs. Pre-Born Infant



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<sup>i</sup> While the manuscript refers to “women’s” reproductive healthcare policies, it is important to acknowledge that reproductive healthcare also affects non-binary individuals, as well as those with gender identities other than woman. To directly engage with the literature, the topic is discussed in terms of “women’s” reproductive healthcare consistently and comparability. It also noted that, although provided the option, individuals in the dataset did not select other gender identities.