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PREFACE

This 2008 report is the thirty-first in a series on legally induced abortions in Utah. Previous reports were for the combined years 1974-1975, 1975-1977, 1978-1980, each year from 1981-1998, combined years 1999-2000, 2001-2002 and each year from 2003-2008.

These tabulations are published annually to make commonly used vital records data available to health programs, health care providers, businesses, researchers, educational institutions and the Utah public. Data are presented for the state, the local health districts, and the counties.

The most recent series of Utah's Vital Statistics reports no longer include abortion data for the United States. The most recent abortion data for the United States is published by the Centers for Disease Control in the Morbidity and Mortality Weekly Report, "Abortion Surveillance - United States, 2006," Vol. 58(SS08) pp 1-35; Atlanta, Georgia, November 2009. The website for this report at the Centers for Disease Control is <http://www.cdc.gov/mmwr/preview/mmwrhtml/ss5808a1.htm> or use the keyword "abortion surveillance" to search for the most current Abortion Surveillance report .

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Table 1. Estimated population, females ages 15-44, resident live births, abortions, and abortion rates and ratios: Utah, 1980, 1985, 1990-2008

Year	Estimated population females ages 15-44 ¹	Resident Live Births	Abortions			
			Occurrence Number	Residents		Ratio ³
				Number	Rate ²	
1980	342,817	41,786	4,086	3,821	11.1	91.4
1985	385,335	37,441	4,129	3,928	10.2	104.9
1990	395,807	36,253	4,796	4,159	10.5	114.7
1991	411,839	36,019	4,213	3,759	9.1	104.4
1992	428,353	37,198	3,941	3,525	8.2	94.8
1993	443,618	37,048	3,945	3,615	8.1	97.6
1994	460,914	38,271	3,610	3,304	7.2	86.3
1995	475,165	39,554	3,705	3,292	6.9	83.2
1996	488,404	42,056	3,639	3,293	6.7	78.3
1997	502,401	43,009	3,408	3,140	6.2	73.0
1998	510,715	45,128	3,487	3,237	6.3	71.7
1999	520,259	46,243	3,381	3,160	6.1	68.3
2000	528,501	47,331	3,509	3,279	6.2	69.3
2001	540,060	47,915	3,594	3,372	6.2	70.4
2002	548,463	49,140	3,524	3,300	6.0	67.2
2003	557,186	49,834	3,576	3,338	6.0	67.0
2004	566,195	50,653	3,665	3,379	6.0	66.7
2005	580,529	51,517	3,556	3,279	5.6	63.6
2006	591,473	53,475	3,753	3,444	5.8	64.4
2007	606,838	55,063	3,932	3,516	5.8	63.9
2008	622,469	55,605	3,911	3,510	5.6	63.1

¹Population projections/estimates are revised as historical data becomes available and the rates may not agree with previous reports.

²Rates are per 1,000 females 15 to 44 years of age.

³Ratios are per 1,000 live births.

Source for Utah female population 15-44 years of age for years 1980-2007: Utah Population Estimates Committee (UPEC) and the Governor's Office of Planning and Budget (GOPB), 2008 Baseline Economic and Demographic Projections (revised on July 23, 2008)

Table 2. Abortions occurring in Utah by state of residence: 2008

State of Residence	Frequency	Percent
Total	3,911	100.00
Arizona	3	0.1
California	6	0.2
Colorado	5	0.1
Idaho	215	5.5
Montana	3	0.1
Nevada	27	0.7
Oregon	3	0.1
Utah	3,510	89.7
Wyoming	130	3.3
Other states*	9	0.2

*Other states include Alaska, Arkansas, Connecticut, Florida, Maine, South Dakota and Tennessee.

Table 3. Abortions, live births and abortion ratios by health district and county of residence: Utah, 1990 and 1995-2008

District and county of residence	2008			Abortion ratios by year													
	Live births	Abor-tions	Ratio	1990	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007
Total	55,605	3,510	63.1	114.7	83.2	78.3	73.0	71.7	68.3	69.3	70.4	67.2	67.0	66.7	63.6	64.4	63.9
Bear River	3,513	105	29.9	60.9	37.3	33.1	36.7	38.9	35.5	32.6	29.6	32.0	32.3	24.3	27.9	27.2	31.7
Box Elder	960	29	30.2	29.4	21.5	28.6	26.4	44.3	33.2	27.1	34.0	39.8	29.4	23.2	25.1	22.9	27.4
Cache	2,513	76	30.2	74.7	43.3	35.1	40.9	37.3	36.7	35.0	28.3	29.6	33.4	25.0	29.3	29.2	33.3
Rich	40	0	0.0	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Central Utah	1,281	31	24.2	36.7	29.5	24.8	14.7	20.4	18.1	23.2	21.2	26.1	23.1	17.5	27.3	17.3	17.3
Juab	229	2	8.7	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Millard	205	2	9.8	30.4	51.0	--	--	--	--	--	38.3	40.8	--	--	--	--	--
Piute	22	1	45.5	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Sanpete	443	12	27.1	26.9	21.9	21.2	--	19.0	27.3	19.1	--	37.9	35.5	--	23.3	16.9	17.2
Sevier	336	12	35.7	44.0	33.7	31.7	--	--	18.0	24.0	--	--	--	--	36.2	21.4	22.3
Wayne	46	2	43.5	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Davis	6,202	240	38.7	85.5	62.9	62.1	56.7	56.6	50.8	58.1	52.4	47.5	57.1	51.5	45.5	48.2	46.3
Salt Lake	19,591	2,262	115.5	181.0	139.9	129.0	125.1	122.6	115.3	117.2	126.4	116.5	117.5	119.1	112.6	113.5	114.2
Southeastern	866	27	31.2	87.6	44.4	36.4	35.6	42.1	22.2	25.7	14.7	32.3	41.9	35.6	31.6	39.7	35.0
Carbon	324	17	52.5	128.0	77.7	75.9	64.6	87.0	55.6	46.5	30.5	63.3	82.8	56.1	82.2	81.4	73.4
Emery	192	4	20.8	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Grand	125	5	40.0	183.5	70.7	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
San Juan	225	1	4.4	57.6	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Southwest	3,974	10	2.5	12.7	5.1	6.8	2.7	2.5	--	3.9	--	--	--	3.8	3.6	2.0	2.0
Beaver	132	0	0.0	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Garfield	62	0	0.0	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Iron	969	3	3.1	--	--	12.9	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Kane	94	1	10.6	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Washington	2,717	6	2.2	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	3.3	--	--
Summit	506	91	179.8	349.4	282.7	211.2	231.3	237.2	201.8	190.3	165.4	173.1	150.0	163.0	166.3	181.7	164.7
Tooele	1,099	59	53.7	94.9	94.6	83.6	59.6	67.6	60.8	49.2	58.2	73.1	66.4	63.5	85.1	52.8	50.7
TriCounty	1,078	42	39.0	72.5	29.1	31.8	22.6	22.5	27.2	33.2	22.8	30.0	27.1	34.1	33.8	43.7	35.5
Daggett	11	0	0.0	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Duchesne	422	8	19.0	35.3	--	27.7	--	35.6	33.8	24.8	29.2	34.5	--	29.2	26.8	32.3	33.8
Uintah	645	34	52.7	92.4	38.8	32.3	21.8	--	23.6	39.6	19.8	25.7	36.7	35.5	36.1	47.7	37.0
Utah County	12,506	309	24.7	32.4	23.6	30.1	21.4	22.0	24.8	23.7	20.3	22.7	22.6	22.5	22.5	23.5	24.0
Wasatch	433	33	76.2	105.0	41.5	34.6	45.6	55.8	44.1	71.0	66.2	68.7	35.9	70.1	52.1	61.1	80.9
Weber-Morgan	4,556	301	66.1	129.6	86.2	78.9	79.1	70.3	81.3	68.4	72.0	69.8	68.0	72.0	66.9	78.3	71.0
Morgan	145	2	13.8	--	96.8	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Weber	4,411	299	67.8	132.5	85.9	79.9	80.1	71.1	83.2	69.3	73.2	70.9	69.1	73.3	68.1	80.8	72.9

Ratios are per 1,000 live births and are not computed for fewer than seven events or when the number of births is less than 30.

Table 4a. Abortions, live births and ratios by marital status, residents: Utah, 1980, 1985, and 1990-2008

Marital status	Year											
	1980	1985	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	
Total*												
Induced abortions	3,821	3,928	4,159	3,759	3,525	3,615	3,304	3,292	3,293	3,140	3,237	
Live births	41,786	37,441	36,253	36,019	37,198	37,048	38,271	39,554	42,056	43,009	45,128	
Ratio per 1,000 live births	91.4	104.9	114.7	104.4	94.8	97.6	86.3	83.2	78.3	73.0	71.7	
Married**												
Induced abortions	975	846	774	853	914	920	862	786	754	794	860	
Live births	39,181	34,366	31,343	30,823	31,567	31,325	32,269	33,338	35,231	35,864	37,388	
Ratio per 1,000 live births	24.9	24.6	24.7	27.7	29.0	29.4	26.7	23.6	21.4	22.1	23.0	
Unmarried***												
Induced abortions	2,820	3,075	3,351	2,893	2,598	2,683	2,423	2,494	2,515	2,329	2,357	
Live births	2,605	3,259	4,886	5,196	5,631	5,721	6,001	6,215	6,798	7,121	7,722	
Ratio per 1,000 live births	1,082.5	943.5	685.8	556.8	461.4	469.0	403.8	401.3	370.0	327.1	305.2	

Table 4b. Abortions, live births and ratios by marital status, residents: Utah, 1980, 1985, and 1990-2008

Marital status	Year											
	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008		
Total*												
Induced abortions	3,160	3,279	3,372	3,300	3,338	3,379	3,279	3,444	3,516	3,510		
Live births	46,243	47,331	47,915	49,140	49,834	50,653	51,517	53,475	55,063	55,605		
Ratio per 1,000 live births	68.3	69.3	70.4	67.2	67.0	66.7	63.6	64.4	63.9	63.1		
Married**												
Induced abortions	858	809	844	756	771	795	760	830	880	762		
Live births	38,543	39,135	39,593	40,671	41,254	41,822	42,416	43,412	44,254	44,281		
Ratio per 1,000 live births	22.3	20.7	21.3	18.6	18.7	19.0	17.9	19.1	19.9	17.2		
Unmarried***												
Induced abortions	2,284	2,455	2,348	2,268	2,143	2,270	2,230	2,187	2,371	2,390		
Live births	7,699	8,175	8,322	8,469	8,580	8,831	9,101	10,063	10,809	11,324		
Ratio per 1,000 live births	296.7	300.3	282.1	267.8	249.8	257.0	245.0	217.3	219.4	211.1		

Abortion ratios for data years 1993 and 1995 are slightly different from the original published data in this series because birth data for these years are updated.

*Women with marital status unknown are included in the annual totals but are not distributed.

**The sum of women who are married plus women who are separated.

***The sum of women who are widowed, divorced and those who have never married.

Table 5. Population for females 15 to 44 years of age, residents: Utah, 1990 and 1995-2008

Year	Total 15-44	Five year age groups (15 to 44 years of age)					
		15-19	20-24	25-29	30-34	35-39	40-44
1990	395,807	76,809	69,527	68,108	69,165	61,719	50,479
1995	475,165	96,751	87,652	73,818	75,510	75,365	66,069
1996	488,404	100,684	88,436	78,868	74,003	77,514	68,899
1997	502,401	101,639	93,540	82,070	73,873	78,950	72,329
1998	510,715	102,133	97,329	84,213	72,855	79,802	74,383
1999	520,259	101,883	101,869	85,610	74,198	80,215	76,484
2000	528,501	108,103	113,380	86,275	72,657	73,904	74,182
2001	540,060	107,764	117,456	89,857	76,040	73,115	75,828
2002	548,463	105,998	120,183	94,226	78,935	72,413	76,708
2003	557,186	104,847	121,895	99,235	81,723	72,124	77,362
2004	566,195	104,849	122,604	103,981	84,421	72,765	77,575
2005	580,529	106,259	123,051	109,180	88,636	75,632	77,771
2006	591,473	107,209	122,515	112,825	92,349	79,288	77,287
2007	606,838	109,021	121,810	116,837	98,019	83,455	77,696
2008	622,469	110,841	121,931	119,830	104,266	87,297	78,304

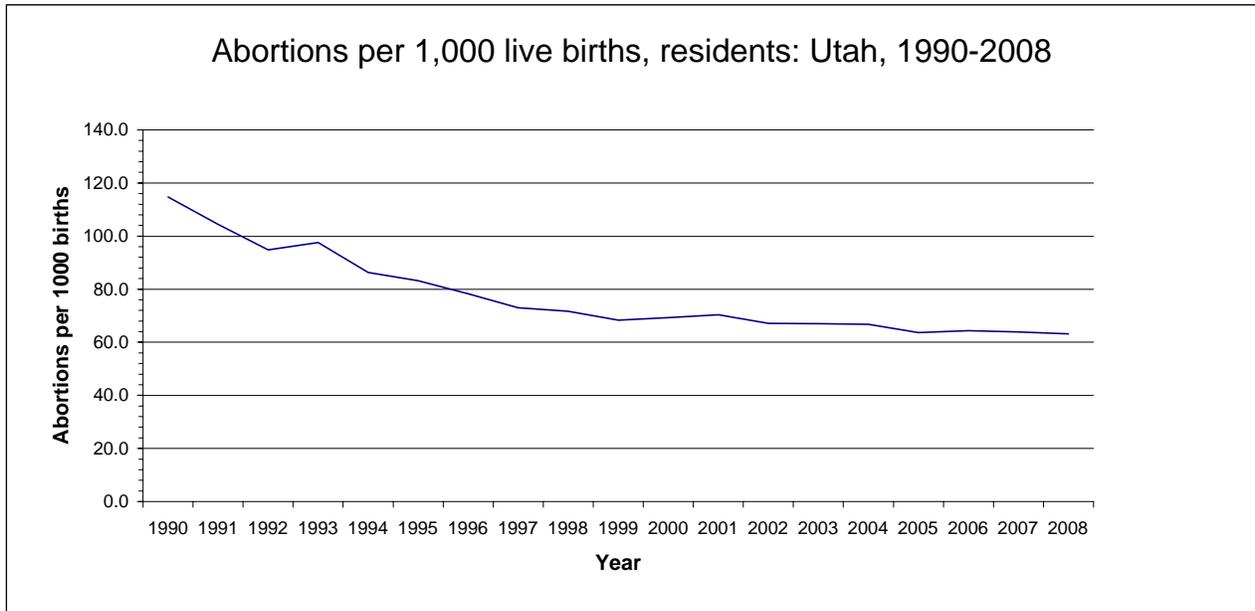
Source for Utah female population 15-44 years of age for years 1990-2007: Utah Population Estimates Committee (UPEC) and the Governor's Office of Planning and Budget (GOPB), 2008 Baseline Economic and Demographic Projections (revised on July 23, 2008)

Table 6. Age-specific abortion rates, residents: Utah, 1990 and 1995-2008

Year	Total 15-44	Age of woman					
		15-19	20-24	25-29	30-34	35-39	40-44
1990	10.5	12.7	19.8	13.2	7.8	4.1	1.5
1995	6.9	6.3	12.3	11.0	6.6	3.7	1.2
1996	6.7	6.6	12.3	9.7	6.9	3.2	1.3
1997	6.2	6.0	10.1	8.5	6.2	3.6	1.3
1998	6.3	5.8	10.6	8.8	6.8	3.2	1.2
1999	6.1	5.7	10.3	8.5	5.8	3.3	1.3
2000	6.2	5.3	10.3	8.3	6.0	3.4	1.1
2001	6.2	5.1	9.8	8.1	6.4	3.8	1.2
2002	6.0	4.8	9.5	8.2	5.8	3.8	1.2
2003	6.0	5.0	9.1	7.7	6.1	3.9	1.2
2004	6.0	4.8	9.7	7.3	5.9	3.9	1.3
2005	5.6	4.8	8.5	7.2	5.2	4.2	1.1
2006	5.8	5.2	9.1	7.5	5.2	3.6	1.1
2007	5.8	5.3	9.2	7.1	5.1	3.6	1.4
2008	5.6	5.0	8.5	7.3	4.9	3.7	1.6

Rates are per 1,000 females 15 to 44 years of age. The abortion component of the rate for total all ages include women less than 15 years of age, 45 years and older and age unknown.

Figure 1



2008 Reference Tables:

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Table R1. Abortions by health district, county of residence and age of woman: Utah, 2008

District and County	Total	Under 15	Age of Woman									Un-known
			15 to 19			20 to 24	25 to 29	30 to 34	35 to 39	40 to 44	45 and over	
			Total	15 to 17	18 to 19							
Total	3,510	12	558	167	391	1,034	876	508	327	127	9	59
Bear River	105	1	16	3	13	37	24	12	11	1	1	2
Box Elder	29	0	3	0	3	13	7	2	1	1	0	2
Cache	76	1	13	3	10	24	17	10	10	0	1	0
Rich	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Central Utah	31	0	5	1	4	9	9	4	1	2	0	1
Juab	2	0	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Millard	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0
Piute	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Sanpete	12	0	2	0	2	3	5	0	0	1	0	1
Sevier	12	0	2	0	2	5	1	3	1	0	0	0
Wayne	2	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
Davis	240	0	38	8	30	65	67	30	27	7	0	6
Salt Lake	2,262	7	345	105	240	654	572	343	214	88	4	35
Southeastern	27	0	6	2	4	8	3	7	1	0	0	2
Carbon	17	0	5	1	4	2	3	4	1	0	0	2
Emery	4	0	1	1	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	0
Grand	5	0	0	0	0	4	0	1	0	0	0	0
San Juan	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Southwest	10	0	1	1	0	5	2	0	1	1	0	0
Beaver	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Garfield	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Iron	3	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	0
Kane	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Washington	6	0	1	1	0	3	1	0	0	1	0	0
Summit	91	0	9	4	5	21	19	19	12	7	1	3
Tooele	59	1	17	4	13	11	10	8	7	3	0	2
TriCounty	42	0	8	1	7	15	8	8	1	2	0	0
Daggett	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Duchesne	8	0	2	1	1	4	0	1	0	1	0	0
Uintah	34	0	6	0	6	11	8	7	1	1	0	0
Utah County	309	2	51	15	36	107	69	37	26	9	2	6
Wasatch	33	0	8	4	4	8	9	2	5	1	0	0
Weber-Morgan	301	1	54	19	35	94	84	38	21	6	1	2
Morgan	2	0	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Weber	299	1	52	18	34	94	84	38	21	6	1	2

Table R2. Abortions by health district, county of residence and month of occurrence: Utah, 2008

District and County	Month of Occurrence												
	Total	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
Total	3,510	340	322	275	305	333	271	300	304	275	325	228	232
Bear River	105	7	13	6	13	14	5	7	7	8	15	3	7
Box Elder	29	1	4	1	4	4	2	5	2	1	5	0	0
Cache	76	6	9	5	9	10	3	2	5	7	10	3	7
Rich	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Central Utah	31	2	1	2	3	3	2	4	1	3	2	4	4
Juab	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0
Millard	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Piute	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sanpete	12	2	0	1	1	0	1	2	0	2	0	1	2
Sevier	12	0	0	1	2	2	1	2	0	0	2	0	2
Wayne	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0
Davis	240	26	20	26	20	18	16	15	17	22	24	14	22
Salt Lake	2,262	221	212	172	196	218	183	198	202	160	213	154	133
Southeastern	27	1	4	2	2	2	1	1	4	4	3	0	3
Carbon	17	1	3	2	2	0	1	1	2	2	1	0	2
Emery	4	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	2	0	0
Grand	5	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	2	0	0	0	1
San Juan	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Southwest	10	1	1	1	0	2	1	1	0	0	0	2	1
Beaver	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Garfield	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Iron	3	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0
Kane	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Washington	6	1	1	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
Summit	91	10	6	7	9	4	5	7	8	16	5	5	9
Tooele	59	4	9	3	7	8	3	5	5	5	7	1	2
TriCounty	42	5	4	4	2	7	2	6	1	4	1	3	3
Daggett	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Duchesne	8	0	1	1	0	3	0	2	0	0	0	1	0
Uintah	34	5	3	3	2	4	2	4	1	4	1	2	3
Utah County	309	32	22	29	24	28	27	30	35	21	19	19	23
Wasatch	33	2	1	3	2	4	1	3	2	5	2	5	3
Weber-Morgan	301	29	29	20	27	25	25	23	22	27	34	18	22
Morgan	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Weber	299	29	29	19	27	25	25	22	22	27	34	18	22

Table R3. Abortions by age and marital status of woman, residents: Utah, 2008

Age	Marital Status of Woman						Un- known
	Total	Never Married	Married	Widowed	Divorced	Separated	
Total	3,510	2,145	643	17	228	119	358
Under 15	12	11	0	0	0	0	1
Total 15 to 19	558	492	22	1	0	0	43
15-17	167	154	5	0	0	0	8
18-19	391	338	17	1	0	0	35
20-24	1,034	751	118	2	20	31	112
25-29	876	491	181	7	73	38	86
30-34	508	219	135	3	68	28	55
35-39	327	124	120	2	45	14	22
40-44	127	34	53	2	18	8	12
45 and over	9	1	5	0	2	0	1
Unknown	59	22	9	0	2	0	26

Table R4. Abortions by weeks gestation and marital status of woman, residents: Utah, 2008

Weeks gestation	Marital Status of Woman						Un- known
	Total	Never Married	Married	Widowed	Divorced	Separated	
Total	3,510	2,145	643	17	228	119	358
Under 5	117	65	25	0	3	1	23
5-6	856	513	157	5	69	35	77
7-8	1,261	784	222	5	99	43	108
9-10	560	331	102	3	31	18	75
11-12	286	184	46	3	17	11	25
13-14	206	137	40	1	8	9	11
15-20	216	126	48	0	1	2	39
21 and over	4	1	3	0	0	0	0
Unknown	4	4	0	0	0	0	0

The last menstrual date is used to calculate gestation when the physician's clinical estimate is not available.

Table R5. Abortions by age and education of woman, residents: Utah, 2008

Age	Education of Woman				
	Total	Under 12 Years	High School	Over 12 Years	Unknown
Total	3,510	309	1,390	697	1,114
Under 15	12	6	2	0	4
Total 15 to 19	558	122	221	37	178
15-17	167	79	39	2	47
18-19	391	43	182	35	131
20-24	1,034	62	431	174	367
25-29	876	53	362	219	242
30-34	508	36	198	132	142
35-39	327	20	110	85	112
40-44	127	9	45	41	32
45 and over	9	0	3	3	3
Unknown	59	1	18	6	34

Table R6. Abortions by age and race of woman, residents: Utah, 2008

Age	Race of Woman						
	Total	White	Black	Asian and Pacific Islander	Native American	Other	Unknown
Total	3,510	2,208	82	148	21	104	947
Under 15	12	5	0	1	0	0	6
Total 15 to 19	558	380	16	11	4	18	129
15-17	167	108	3	3	0	7	46
18-19	391	272	13	8	4	11	83
20-24	1,034	666	28	43	7	31	259
25-29	876	547	23	26	1	24	255
30-34	508	304	9	28	7	17	143
35-39	327	197	5	16	2	8	99
40-44	127	69	1	19	0	5	33
45 and over	9	6	0	2	0	0	1
Unknown	59	34	0	2	0	1	22

Table R7. Abortions by weeks gestation and race of woman, residents: Utah, 2008

Weeks gestation	Race of Woman						
	Total	White	Black	Asian and Pacific Islander	Native American	Other	Unknown
Total	3,510	2,208	82	148	21	104	947
Under 5	117	58	3	8	0	5	43
5-6	856	552	17	44	3	26	214
7-8	1,261	806	34	61	7	35	318
9-10	560	354	12	11	6	20	157
11-12	286	182	5	8	2	7	82
13-14	206	120	5	10	1	8	62
15-20	216	130	5	6	2	3	70
21 and over	4	3	0	0	0	0	1
Unknown	4	3	1	0	0	0	0

The last menstrual date is used to calculate gestation when the physician's clinical estimate is not available.

**Table R8. Abortions by age of woman and number of prior live births, residents:
Utah, 2008**

Age	Prior Live Births							Un- known
	Total	None	One	Two	Three	Four	Five or More	
Total	3,510	1,429	695	639	333	138	91	185
Under 15	12	11	0	0	0	0	0	1
Total 15 to 19	558	434	84	20	1	0	0	19
15-17	167	148	12	2	0	0	0	5
18-19	391	286	72	18	1	0	0	14
20-24	1,034	541	241	149	32	12	4	55
25-29	876	257	217	195	112	34	18	43
30-34	508	98	85	137	92	44	26	26
35-39	327	45	42	85	72	33	25	25
40-44	127	19	17	35	20	12	15	9
45 and over	9	1	2	2	0	1	2	1
Unknown	59	23	7	16	4	2	1	6

**Table R9. Abortions by age of woman and number of prior abortions, residents:
Utah, 2008**

Age	Prior Abortions							Un- known
	Total	None	One	Two	Three	Four	Five or More	
Total	3,510	2,339	642	214	88	32	16	179
Under 15	12	11	0	0	0	0	0	1
Total 15 to 19	558	479	47	7	2	0	0	23
15-17	167	157	5	0	0	0	0	5
18-19	391	322	42	7	2	0	0	18
20-24	1,034	742	181	31	16	3	2	59
25-29	876	527	186	87	20	11	4	41
30-34	508	306	108	44	21	6	3	20
35-39	327	170	80	27	20	8	4	18
40-44	127	58	30	16	7	4	3	9
45 and over	9	7	1	0	0	0	0	1
Unknown	59	39	9	2	2	0	0	7

**Table R10. Abortions by weeks gestation and number of prior abortions, residents:
Utah, 2008**

Weeks gestation ¹	Prior Abortions							Un- known
	Total	None	One	Two	Three	Four	Five or More	
Total	3,510	2,339	642	214	88	32	16	179
Under 5	117	85	15	6	3	0	0	8
5-6	856	581	154	50	18	11	3	39
7-8	1,261	845	231	85	29	6	4	61
9-10	560	363	112	25	22	5	4	29
11-12	286	176	55	24	6	7	5	13
13-14	206	143	37	11	6	2	0	7
15-20	216	141	37	13	4	1	0	20
21 and over	4	2	1	0	0	0	0	1
Unknown	4	3	0	0	0	0	0	1

The last menstrual date is used to calculate gestation when the physician's clinical estimate is not available.

Table R11. Abortions by age of woman and reason for termination, residents: Utah, 2008

Age	Total	Reason for Termination								
		Maternal Life Endagered	Thera- peutic	Fetal Malform- ation	HIV Positive	Rape	Incest	Elective	Other	Un- known
Total	3,510	30	2,970	33	1	3	0	473	0	0
Under 15	12	0	9	0	0	0	0	3	0	0
Total 15 to 19	558	5	493	0	0	2	0	58	0	0
15-17	167	2	148	0	0	1	0	16	0	0
18-19	391	3	345	0	0	1	0	42	0	0
20-24	1,034	12	896	9	0	0	0	117	0	0
25-29	876	6	726	9	1	0	0	134	0	0
30-34	508	5	415	7	0	0	0	81	0	0
35-39	327	2	272	4	0	1	0	48	0	0
40-44	127	0	101	3	0	0	0	23	0	0
45 and over	9	0	7	0	0	0	0	2	0	0
Unknown	59	0	51	1	0	0	0	7	0	0

Table R12. Abortions by weeks gestation and reason for termination, residents: Utah, 2008

Weeks gestation	Total	Reason for Termination								
		Maternal Life Endagered	Thera- peutic	Fetal Malform- ation	HIV Positive	Rape	Incest	Elective	Other	Un- known
Total	3,510	30	2,970	33	1	3	0	473	0	0
Under 5	117	1	103	0	0	0	0	13	0	0
5-6	856	6	671	3	0	0	0	176	0	0
7-8	1,261	14	1,074	3	1	1	0	168	0	0
9-10	560	1	495	1	0	1	0	62	0	0
11-12	286	3	234	1	0	0	0	48	0	0
13-14	206	2	195	3	0	0	0	6	0	0
15-20	216	3	193	19	0	1	0	0	0	0
21 and over	4	0	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0
Unknown	4	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

The last menstrual date is used to calculate gestation when the physician's clinical estimate is not available.

Table R13. Abortions by age of woman and weeks gestation, residents: Utah, 2008

Age	Weeks Gestation									
	Total	Under 5	5-6	7-8	9-10	11-12	13-14	15-20	21 and over	Un-known
Total	3,510	117	856	1,261	560	286	206	216	4	4
Under 15	12	0	2	4	1	1	1	3	0	0
Total 15 to 19	558	11	109	182	109	57	49	39	1	1
15-17	167	3	26	59	42	12	18	7	0	0
18-19	391	8	83	123	67	45	31	32	1	1
20-24	1,034	32	256	355	172	86	57	75	1	0
25-29	876	32	222	312	134	78	54	42	0	2
30-34	508	24	138	201	68	28	22	26	1	0
35-39	327	10	77	126	52	28	13	20	0	1
40-44	127	4	32	57	17	7	6	4	0	0
45 and over	9	1	2	5	0	0	0	1	0	0
Unknown	59	3	18	19	7	1	4	6	1	0

The last menstrual date is used to calculate gestation when the physician's clinical estimate is not available.

Table R14. Abortions by age of woman and method of termination, residents: Utah, 2008

Age	Method of Termination								
	Total	Dilation and Evacuation	Suction Curettage	Sharp Curettage	Medica- tion	Intra- Uterine Instillation	Hyster- ectomy	Other	Un- known
Total	3,510	216	1,944	190	1,160	0	0	0	0
Under 15	12	4	5	0	3	0	0	0	0
Total 15 to 19	558	43	346	29	140	0	0	0	0
15-17	167	8	117	11	31	0	0	0	0
18-19	391	35	229	18	109	0	0	0	0
20-24	1,034	74	541	58	361	0	0	0	0
25-29	876	43	468	49	316	0	0	0	0
30-34	508	23	289	22	174	0	0	0	0
35-39	327	17	196	16	98	0	0	0	0
40-44	127	6	72	7	42	0	0	0	0
45 and over	9	1	5	0	3	0	0	0	0
Unknown	59	5	22	9	23	0	0	0	0

The totals do not add because more than one choice is possible for each number in the total.

Table R15. Abortions by weeks gestation and method of termination, residents: Utah, 2008

Weeks gestation	Method of Termination								
	Total	Dilation and Evacuation	Suction Curettage	Sharp Curettage	Medica- tion	Intra- Uterine Instillation	Hyster- ectomy	Other	Un- known
Total	3,510	216	1,944	190	1,160	0	0	0	0
Under 5	117	1	18	2	96	0	0	0	0
5-6	856	3	301	31	521	0	0	0	0
7-8	1,261	4	711	59	487	0	0	0	0
9-10	560	3	483	35	39	0	0	0	0
11-12	286	4	252	22	8	0	0	0	0
13-14	206	51	131	21	3	0	0	0	0
15-20	216	146	46	20	4	0	0	0	0
21 and over	4	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Unknown	4	1	1	0	2	0	0	0	0

The last menstrual date is used to calculate gestation when the physician's clinical estimate is not available.

The totals do not add because more than one choice is possible for each number in the total.

Table R16. Abortions by age of woman and mention of any complications, residents: Utah, 2008

Age of Woman	Total	Mention of any Complication		
		Yes	No	Unknown
Total	3,510	3	3,506	1
Under 15	12	0	12	0
Total 15 to 19	558	0	558	0
15-17	167	0	167	0
18-19	391	0	391	0
20-24	1,034	0	1,033	1
25-29	876	1	875	0
30-34	508	1	507	0
35-39	327	1	326	0
40-44	127	0	127	0
45 and over	9	0	9	0
Unknown	59	0	59	0

Table R17. Abortions by age of woman and history of contraceptive use in past year, residents: Utah, 2008

Age of Woman	Total	History of Contraceptive Use in Past Year		
		Yes	No	Unknown
Total	3,510	766	1,743	1,001
Under 15	12	1	9	2
Total 15 to 19	558	99	322	137
15-17	167	25	110	32
18-19	391	74	212	105
20-24	1,034	217	522	295
25-29	876	212	406	258
30-34	508	122	253	133
35-39	327	72	146	109
40-44	127	29	69	29
45 and over	9	3	3	3
Unknown	59	11	13	35

Table R18. Abortions by age of woman and pregnancy due to omission of contraceptive, residents: Utah, 2008

Age of Woman	Total	Omission of Contraceptive		
		Yes	No	Unknown
Total	3,510	104	468	2,938
Under 15	12	0	1	11
Total 15 to 19	558	22	53	483
15-17	167	8	13	146
18-19	391	14	40	337
20-24	1,034	37	125	872
25-29	876	22	140	714
30-34	508	8	82	418
35-39	327	11	41	275
40-44	127	2	17	108
45 and over	9	0	2	7
Unknown	59	2	7	50

Table R19. Abortions by age of woman and method of contraceptive in past year, residents: Utah, 2008

Age of Woman	Total	Methods of contraceptive used in past year											Un-known	Not Applicable
		Oral (pill)	Diaphragm	Foam Jelly	Condom	I U D	Surgical Sterilization	Rhythm	Coitus	Depo-provera	Other			
Total	3,510	387	3	12	213	31	0	2	4	47	74	1,035	2,744	
Under 15	12	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	11	
Total 15 to 19	558	56	0	1	25	0	0	0	2	4	9	140	459	
15-17	167	15	0	1	6	0	0	0	1	2	32	142		
18-19	391	41	0	0	19	0	0	2	3	7	108	317		
20-24	1,034	110	0	1	58	5	0	0	14	25	308	817		
25-29	876	99	2	5	58	14	0	0	16	23	266	664		
30-34	508	75	0	2	29	6	0	1	8	7	136	386		
35-39	327	33	0	1	24	5	0	0	4	8	112	255		
40-44	127	8	1	2	13	1	0	1	0	1	32	98		
45 and over	9	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	1	0	3	6		
Unknown	59	6	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	1	36	48		

The totals do not add because more than one choice is possible for each number in the total.

Table R20. Abortions by marital status of woman and method of contraceptive in past year, residents: Utah, 2008

Marital Status	Total	Methods of contraceptive used in past year											Un-known	Not Applicable
		Oral (pill)	Diaphragm	Foam Jelly	Condom	I U D	Surgical Sterilization	Rhythm	Coitus	Depo-provera	Other			
Total	3,510	387	3	12	213	31	0	2	4	47	74	1,035	2,744	
Never Married	2,145	219	2	4	119	14	0	1	1	26	35	708	1,722	
Married	643	68	0	1	39	7	0	0	2	7	11	121	509	
Widowed	17	1	0	0	3	0	0	1	0	1	0	3	11	
Divorced	228	66	1	5	28	6	0	0	7	15	2	109		
Separated	119	20	0	0	10	2	0	0	1	7	1	79		
Unknown	358	13	0	2	14	2	0	0	5	6	200	314		

The totals do not add because more than one choice is possible for each number in the total.

Table R21. Abortions by number of prior live births, prior abortions and method of contraceptive in past year, residents: Utah, 2008

Prior Live Births and Prior Abortions	Total	Method of Contraceptive											Un- known	Not Applicable
		Oral (pill)	Diaphragm	Foam Jelly	Condom	I U D	Surgical Steril- ization	Rhythm	Coitus	Depo- provera	Other			
Total	3,510	387	3	12	213	31	0	2	4	47	74	1,035	2,744	
No Live Births	1,429	182	1	4	88	3	0	1	2	14	26	380	1,109	
One Live Birth	695	73	1	2	44	9	0	0	0	10	19	189	540	
More than One Birth	1,239	132	1	6	78	19	0	1	2	23	26	346	953	
Births Unknown	147	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	3	120	142	
No Abortions	2,339	272	2	9	143	20	0	1	2	30	45	645	1,820	
No Live Births	1,152	143	1	4	72	2	0	0	2	11	20	305	898	
One Live Birth	462	51	0	2	31	5	0	0	0	5	9	133	361	
More than One Birth	722	78	1	3	40	13	0	1	0	14	16	205	558	
Births Unknown	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	3	
One Abortion	642	71	1	2	51	7	0	1	1	10	23	160	482	
No Live Births	195	22	0	0	11	1	0	1	0	1	4	54	154	
One Live Birth	157	14	1	0	11	2	0	0	0	3	9	37	119	
More than One Birth	284	35	0	2	27	4	0	0	1	6	9	68	205	
Births Unknown	6	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	4	
More Than One Abortion	350	41	0	1	17	4	0	0	1	7	4	98	270	
No Live Births	71	15	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	2	2	17	49	
One Live Birth	69	7	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	2	1	19	54	
More than One Birth	208	19	0	1	11	2	0	0	1	3	1	62	165	
Births Unknown	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	
Abortions Unknown	179	3	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	132	172	
No Live Births	11	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	8	
One Live Birth	7	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	
More than One Birth	25	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	11	25	
Births Unknown	136	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	117	133	

The totals do not add because more than one choice is possible for each number in the total.

Table R22. Abortions by education of woman and method of contraceptive in past year, residents: Utah, 2008

Education	Total	Method of Contraceptive											Un- known	Not Applicable
		Oral (pill)	Diaphragm	Foam Jelly	Condom	I U D	Surgical Steril- ization	Rhythm	Coitus	Depo- provera	Other			
Total	3,510	387	3	12	213	31	0	2	4	47	74	1,035	2,744	
Under 12 Years	309	46	0	3	26	4	0	0	0	9	9	4	215	
High School	1,390	148	0	4	74	13	0	1	2	18	29	291	1,103	
Over 12 Years	697	159	3	5	87	12	0	1	1	13	28	85	403	
Unknown	1,114	34	0	0	26	2	0	0	1	7	8	655	1,023	

The totals do not add because more than one choice is possible for each number in the total.

2008 Appendix:

Abortions

Technical Appendix

Section 76-7-313, Utah Code Annotated 1953 as amended requires that the report of induced termination of pregnancy (Figure A) be filed with the State of Utah's Department of Health within ten days after the abortion.

The reported number of abortions to Utah residents that are performed out of state is small and suggests an undercount. This small number of reported abortions that occur in other states are not shown by county of residence in this report.

For both the summary and reference tables in this report, data are tabulated by health district as well as county of residence to meet the needs of local health departments.

Population data are from the Demographic and Economic Analysis section of the Governor's Office of Planning and Budget.

Formulas used to compute rates and ratios used in this report are defined as follows:

Abortion Rate = $\frac{\text{Total Number of Induced Abortions to Resident Females (1,000)}}{\text{Total Number of Resident Females 15-44 Years of Age}}$

Abortion Ratio = $\frac{\text{Total Number of Induced Abortions to Resident Females (1,000)}}{\text{Total Number of Live Births to Resident Females}}$

Figure 1

STATE OF UTAH DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH REPORT OF INDUCED TERMINATION OF PREGNANCY				CONFIDENTIAL <small>This report will be used for statistical purposes by the Utah Department of Health. It may be used to insure compliance with the provisions of the Utah State Abortion Law. It will be kept Confidential pursuant to Chapter 25, Title 26.</small>	
1. PLACE where termination occurred-hospital or other facility. <small>If not in hospital or clinic, enter street address.</small>		1b. CITY		1c. COUNTY	
2. RESIDENCE State _____ County _____ City, Village _____ Zip Code _____		3. PATIENT'S BIRTHDATE Month _____ Year _____		4. MARITAL STATUS 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Never Married 2 <input type="checkbox"/> Married 3 <input type="checkbox"/> Widowed 4 <input type="checkbox"/> Divorced 5 <input type="checkbox"/> Separated	
5. WAS PATIENT OF HISPANIC ORIGIN? 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Yes (If yes, Specify) 2 <input type="checkbox"/> No 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Mexican 2 <input type="checkbox"/> Cuban 3 <input type="checkbox"/> Puerto Rican <input type="checkbox"/> Other (Specify) _____		6. RACE 1 <input type="checkbox"/> White 2 <input type="checkbox"/> Black 3 <input type="checkbox"/> American Indian 9 <input type="checkbox"/> Asian/Pacific Islander <input type="checkbox"/> Other (Specify) _____		7. EDUCATION (Specify highest grade completed) Elementary/Secondary (0-12) College (13-16 or 17+)	
8. PREVIOUS PREGNANCIES (Complete each section)				9. CONTRACEPTIVE HISTORY Has the patient practiced contraception in the past year? 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Yes 2 <input type="checkbox"/> No 9 <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown	
LIVE BIRTHS		OTHER PREGNANCIES		10. METHODS (if "yes" to no. 9, what method(s) used?)	
8a. Now Living Number _____ None <input type="checkbox"/>	8b. Now Dead Number _____ None <input type="checkbox"/>	8c. Spontaneous Terminations Number _____ None <input type="checkbox"/>	8d. Induced Terminations Number _____ None <input type="checkbox"/>	0 <input type="checkbox"/> Oral (pill) 5 <input type="checkbox"/> Surgical Sterilization 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Diaphragm 6 <input type="checkbox"/> Rhythm 2 <input type="checkbox"/> Foam Jelly 7 <input type="checkbox"/> Coitus Interruptus (Withdrawal) 3 <input type="checkbox"/> Condom 8 <input type="checkbox"/> Depo Provera 4 <input type="checkbox"/> IUD 9 <input type="checkbox"/> Other (Specify) _____	
11. If "Yes" to no. 9, did the pregnancy follow from temporarily omitting the method of contraception? 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Yes 2 <input type="checkbox"/> No 9 <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown If "Yes", which method? _____			12. ANTI-RH IMMUNE globulin indicated 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Yes 2 <input type="checkbox"/> No 9 <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown		13. ANTI-RH IMMUNE globulin given 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Yes 2 <input type="checkbox"/> No 3 <input type="checkbox"/> Patient Refused
14. DATE OF TERMINATION Month _____ Day _____ Year _____		15. FIRST DAY OF LAST MENSTRUAL PERIOD Month _____ Day _____ Year _____		16. CLINICAL ESTIMATE OF GESTATION (Weeks) _____	
17. EVIDENCE OF PREVIOUS ATTEMPT TO TERMINATE THIS PREGNANCY 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Yes 2 <input type="checkbox"/> No 9 <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown		18a. PROCEDURE THAT TERMINATED PREGNANCY (Check only one)		18b. ADDITIONAL PROCEDURES USED FOR THIS TERMINATION, IF ANY (Check all that apply)	
1 <input type="checkbox"/> Suction Curettage		2 <input type="checkbox"/> Sharp Curettage (D & C)		3 <input type="checkbox"/> Dilation and Evacuation (D & E)	
4 <input type="checkbox"/> Medical (Nonsurgical), Specify Medication(s) _____		5 <input type="checkbox"/> Intra-Uterine Instillation (Saline or Prostaglandin)		6 <input type="checkbox"/> Hysterotomy/Hysterectomy	
7 <input type="checkbox"/> Other (Specify) _____		1 <input type="checkbox"/> Maternal Life Endangered		2 <input type="checkbox"/> Therapeutic	
3 <input type="checkbox"/> Fetal Malformation		4 <input type="checkbox"/> HIV Positive		5 <input type="checkbox"/> Flap	
6 <input type="checkbox"/> Incest		7 <input type="checkbox"/> Elective		8 <input type="checkbox"/> Other	
20. COMPLICATIONS (Check all that apply)		6 <input type="checkbox"/> Retained Products		8 <input type="checkbox"/> Other, Specify: _____	
0 <input type="checkbox"/> None		2 <input type="checkbox"/> Perforation of Uterus		7 <input type="checkbox"/> Death	
1 <input type="checkbox"/> Hemorrhage		3 <input type="checkbox"/> Cervical Laceration			
4 <input type="checkbox"/> Infection		5 <input type="checkbox"/> Anesthetic			
21. HOSPITALIZATION REQUIRED AS A RESULT OF COMPLICATIONS 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Yes 2 <input type="checkbox"/> No If "yes", Name of Hospital: _____ ADMISSION DATE: _____/_____/_____					
22. WAS THE FETUS CAPABLE OF SURVIVAL OUTSIDE THE UTERUS? 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Yes 2 <input type="checkbox"/> No 9 <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown			Subscribed & sworn to before me this _____ day of _____ 19____		
23. I hereby certify that the required consent was voluntarily obtained as provided in Section 76-7-305, Utah Code Annotated, 1953 as Amended.			Notary Public _____		
24. SIGNATURE OF PHYSICIAN			S E A L		
25. NAME OF PHYSICIAN (Print or Type)		26. DATE			

(COMPLETE REVERSE SIDE ALSO)

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(Figure 1 continued)

SURGICAL PATHOLOGY REPORT

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TO BE COMPLETED ON ALL INDUCED ABORTIONS

- 1) Presence of chorionic villi 1 Yes 2 No 9 Unknown
2) Presence of decidual tissue 1 Yes 2 No 9 Unknown
3) Presence of marked inflammatory reaction. 1 Yes 2 No 9 Unknown
4) Presence of embryo or fetal parts. 1 Yes 2 No 9 Unknown
5) Gross appearance of embryo 1 Normal
2 Macerated
3 Malformed - Type _____

- 6) Measurements of embryo Length _____ cms
Weight _____ gms.

COMPLETE THIS SECTION FOR ABORTIONS BEYOND 90 DAYS GESTATION

1. Measurement of Embryo

- Heel to Toe _____ mm.
Biparietal Diameter _____ cm.
Date BPD Measured _____

2. Complications or Post-Operative Morbidity

- 00 None
01 Cardiac Arrest
02 Disseminated Intravascular Coagulation
03 Ectopic Pregnancy
04 Failed Abortion
05 Hemorrhage (less than 500 ml.)
06 Hemorrhage (500 ml. or more)
07 Incomplete abortion (retained tissue)
08 Injury to cervix
09 Pelvic Infection
10 Perforation
11 Postabortal bleeding or spotting
12 Pulmonary embolism or infarction
13 Reaction to Anesthesia - general
14 Reaction to Anesthesia - local
15 Respiratory arrest
16 Other, Specify _____

3. Time of Complication

- 1 During Procedure
2 During Recovery
3 After Discharge

4. Management of Complication

- 1 Hospitalization (immediate)
2 Hospitalization (later by Facility)
3 Hospitalization (later not by Facility)
4 Repeat Evacuation (immediate)
5 Repeat Evacuation (later at Facility)
6 Repeat Evacuation (later not at Facility)

5. Two Week Follow-up

- 1 In Facility, Normal
2 Other _____
3 Other Facility, Normal
4 Other _____
5 Examination Not Done
6 Unable to Contact

6. Future Contraception Planned

- 1 Oral (Pill)
2 IUD
3 Diaphragm
4 Other Contraception
5 None Wanted

7. Reason for Late Abortion

- 1 Woman continued to have menses
2 Afraid to tell parents, spouse, etc.
3 Denial of Pregnancy
4 Planned pregnancy, change of circumstances
5 Suspected or known fetal malformation
6 Late referral
7 Unable to afford cost earlier in pregnancy
8 Other, Specify _____

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