

2013 Oklahoma Abortion Statistics

A Woman's Right to Know

Introduction

The Oklahoma State Department of Health (OSDH) collects statistical data of the abortions performed in licensed abortion facilities in Oklahoma. This data is used to monitor legal induced abortion in the state and to describe those women receiving legal abortion services. The data referred to in this report has been taken from <http://www.health.state.ok.us/ok2share/> and compiled to present common characteristics of women who obtained legal abortions in the state of Oklahoma.

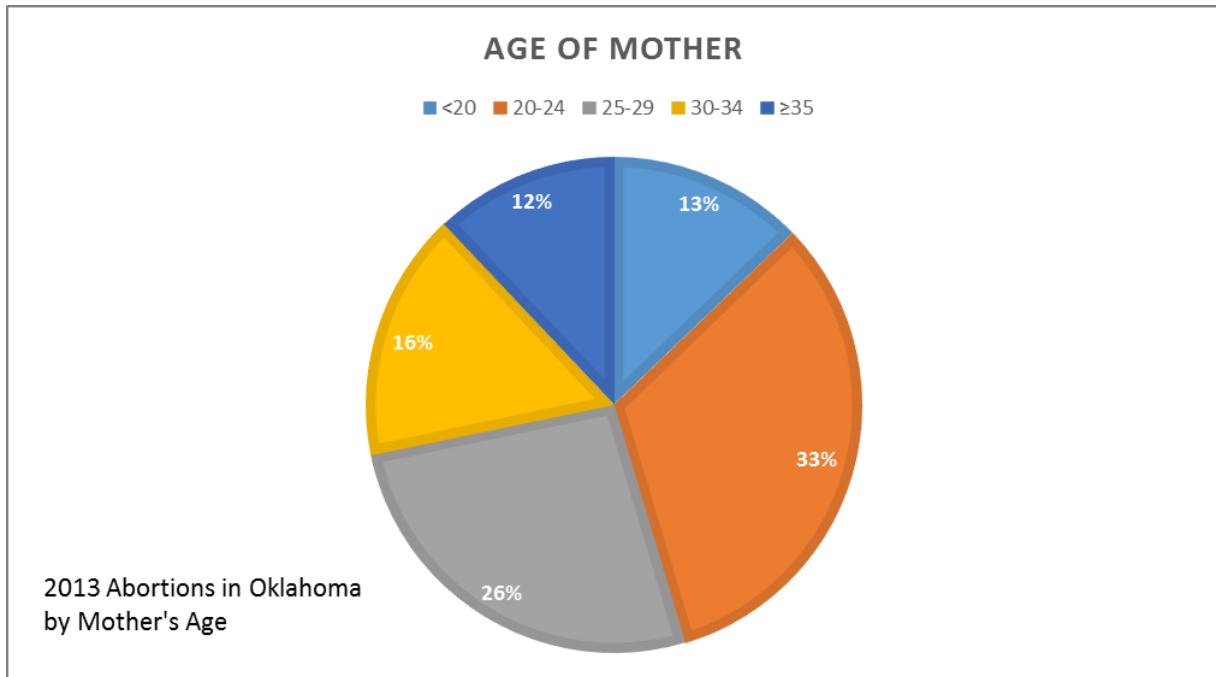
Table 1. 2013 Number of Legal Induced Abortions Reported

In 2013, there were 5,013 abortions reported to OSDH. This averages to 418 abortions per month.

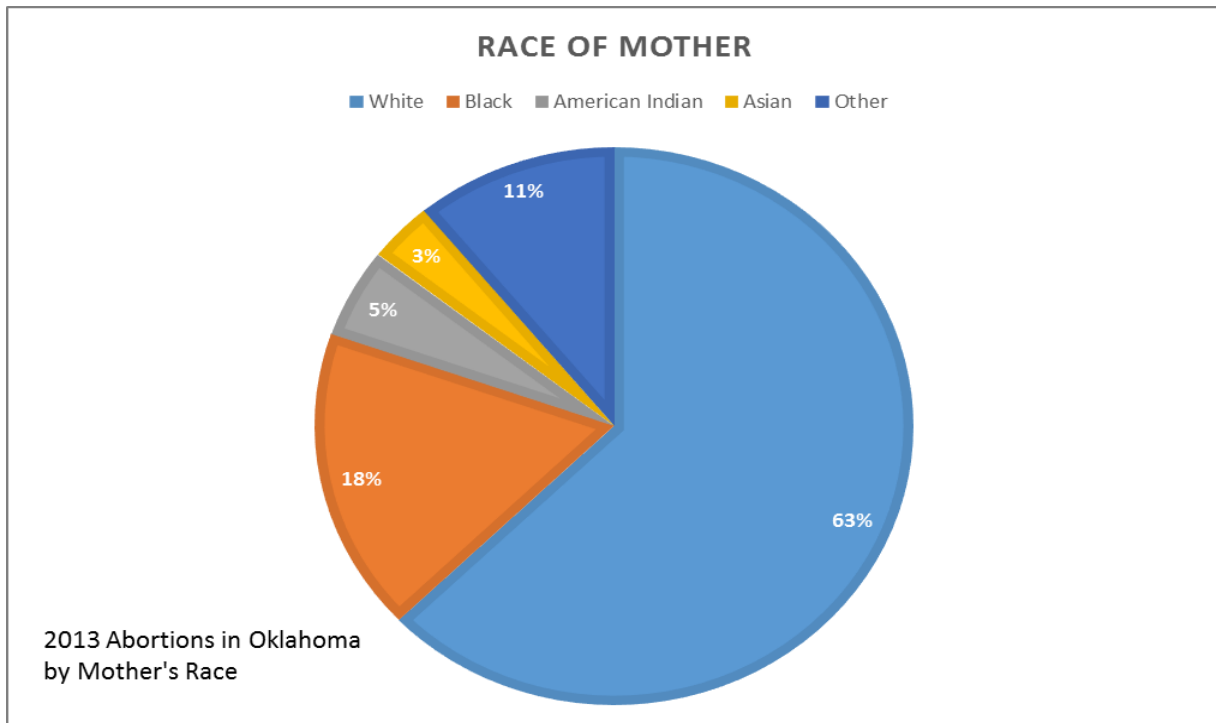
Oklahoma State Abortion Statistics 2013					
Number of Legal Induced Abortions Reported					
Total number of Abortions			Total number of Abortions		
	5013			5013	
Age (yrs)	Number	Percentage	Previous Live Births	Number	Percentage
<20	640	12.8%	0	1978	39.5%
20-24	1628	32.5%	1	1296	25.9%
25-29	1320	26.3%	2	1016	20.3%
30-34	812	16.2%	3	464	9.3%
≥35	600	12.0%	≥4	258	5.1%
Race			Previous Abortions		
White	3145	62.7%	0	3321	66.2%
Black	881	17.6%	1	1143	22.8%
American Indian	259	5.2%	2	359	7.2%
Asian	177	3.5%	≥3	190	3.8%
Other	549	11.0%			
Marital Status			Gestational Age		
Married	758	15.1%	≤ 6 wks	2383	47.5%
Never Married	3627	72.4%	7 wks	671	13.4%
Separated	198	3.9%	8 wks	542	10.8%
Divorced	406	8.1%	9-10 wks	718	14.3%
Widowed	22	0.4%	11-12 wks	358	7.1%
Education			13-15 wks	218	4.3%
<8th grade	110	2.2%	16+ weeks	115	2.3%
9-12 grade, no diploma	534	10.7%	Type of Procedure		
Highschool graduate or GED	1934	38.6%	Suction Aspiration	2260	45.1%
Some College Credit	1647	32.9%	RU-486	1953	39.0%
Bachelor's Degree	627	12.5%	Dilation & Curettage	521	10.4%
Post Grad Work	141	2.8%	Dilation & Evacuation	270	5.4%
			Other	7	0.1%

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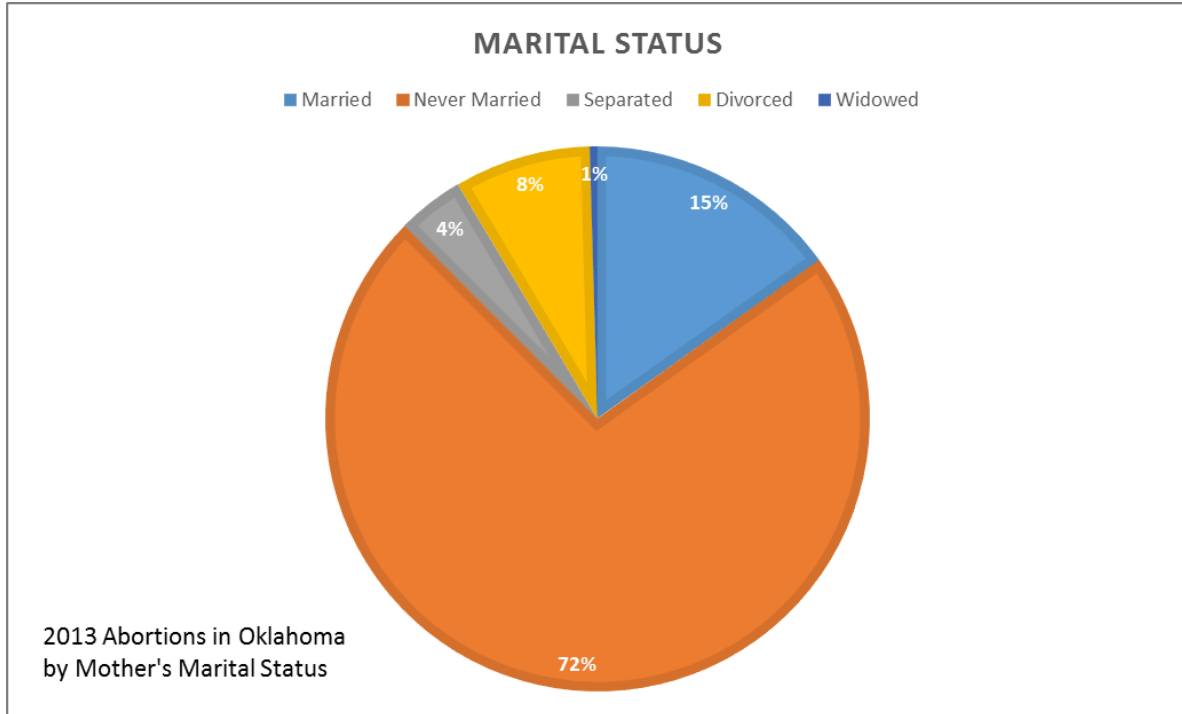
The majority of abortions in Oklahoma were obtained by women aged 20yrs – 29yrs (58.8%). Women over 30 years of age comprised 28.8% of the abortions while women under the age of 20 obtained 12.8% of the abortions.



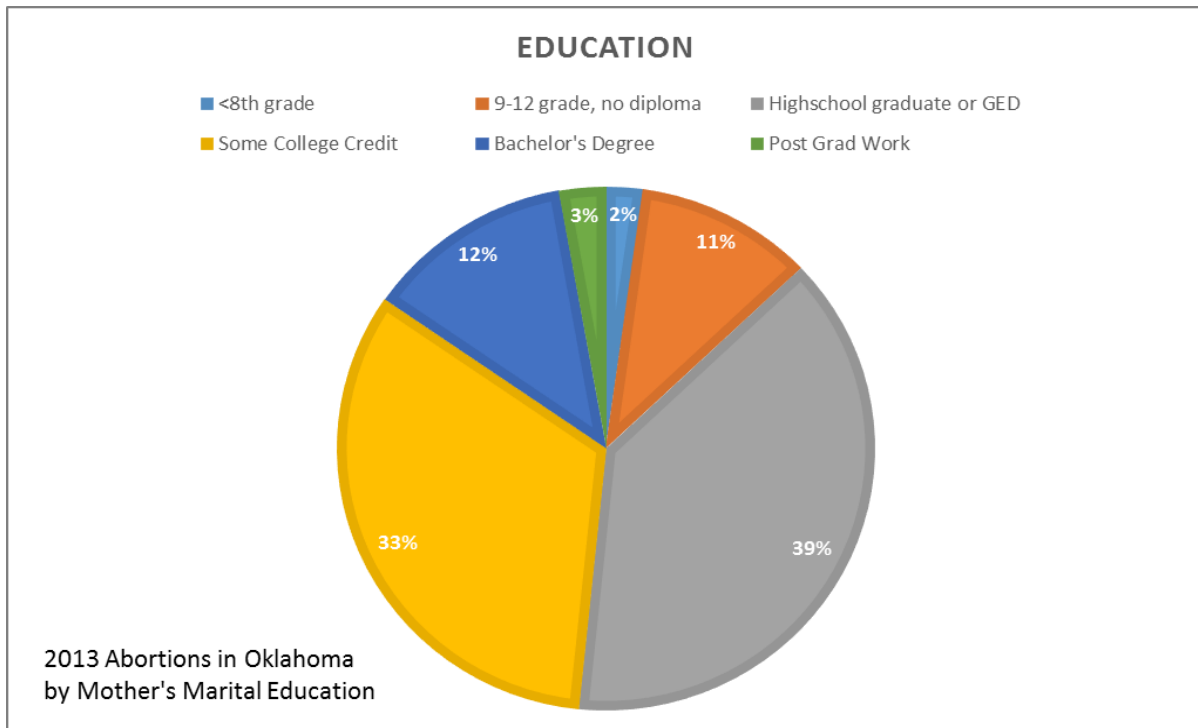
The majority of abortions were to white women (62.7%), with black women at 17.6% and the lowest percentage were to Asian women (3.5%). In 2012, ethnicity was removed from the statistical data.



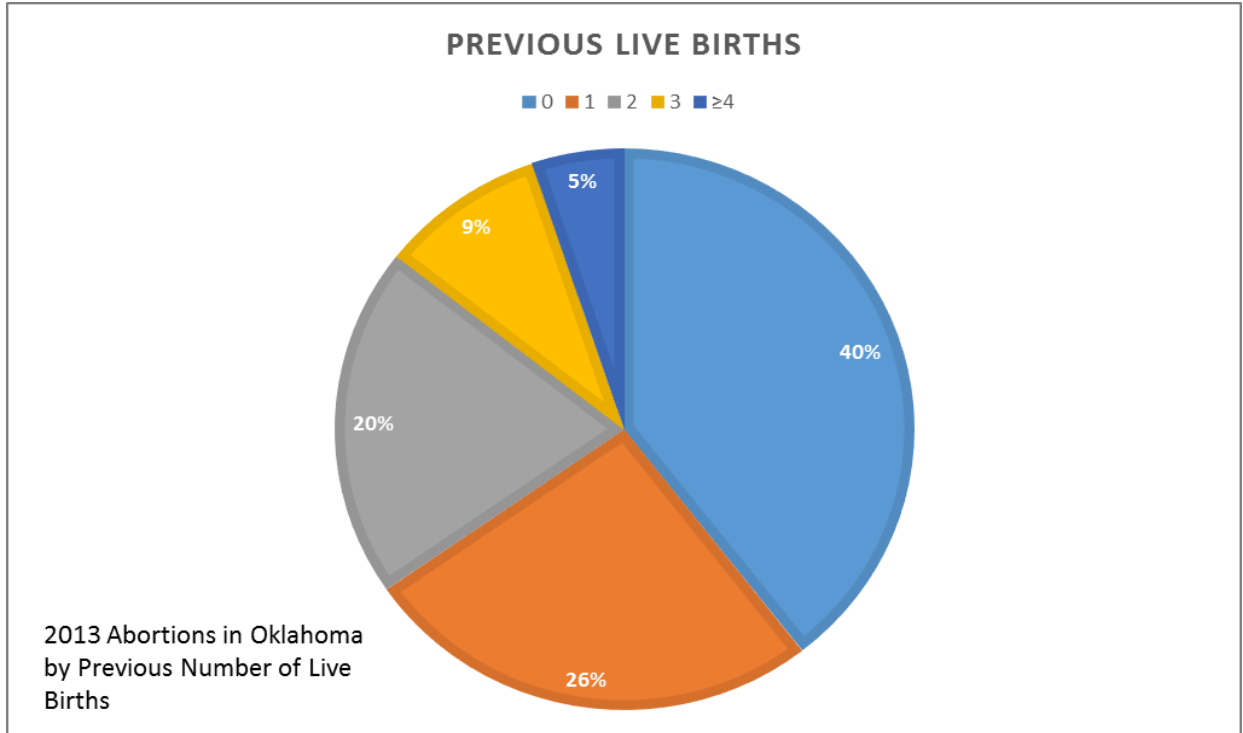
The majority of abortions in 2013, were to women who identified themselves as single (84.8%). Married women obtained 15.1% of the abortions in 2013.



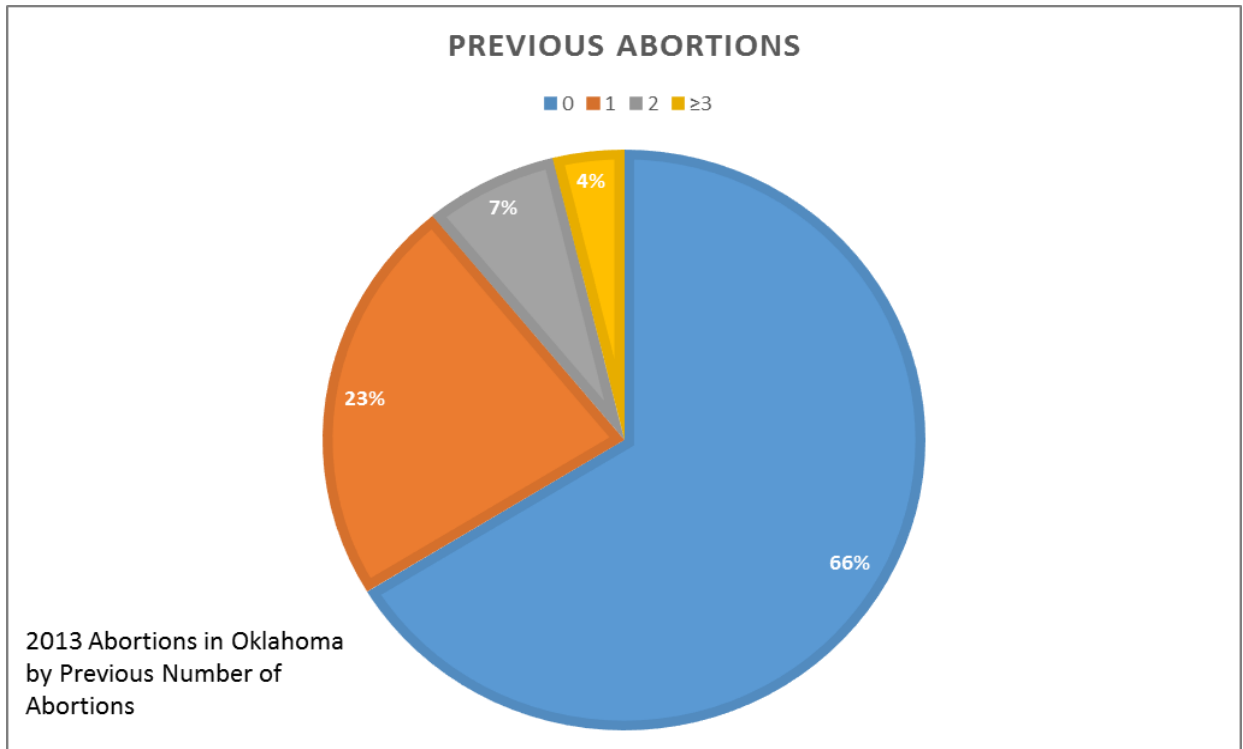
The highest percentage of abortions were to women who have attained a high school diploma or GED (38.6%). The next highest percentage was to women who have some college credits, but not graduated (32.9%).



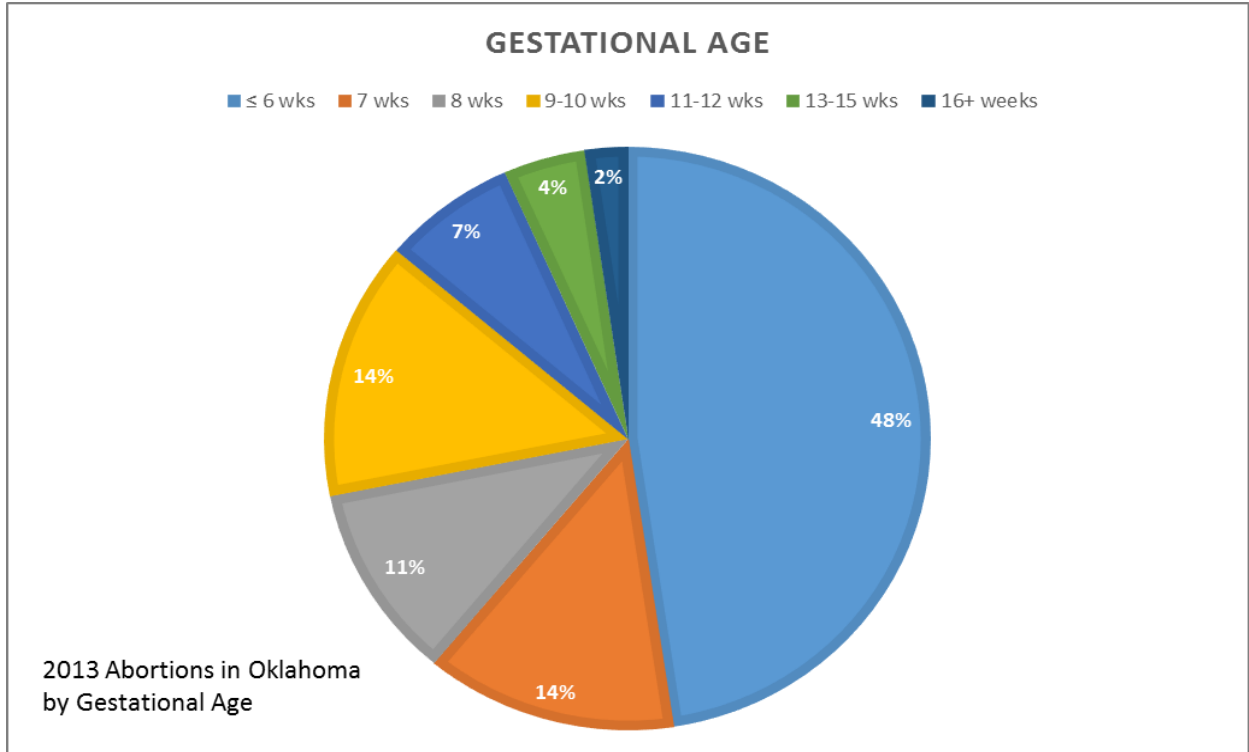
In 2013, 60.6% of the abortions were on women who have had at least one prior live birth. Women who had no prior live births comprised 39.5%.



Women who had no previous abortions obtained 66.2%, while 33.8% of the abortions were performed on women who had one or more prior abortions.



The majority of abortions in Oklahoma were performed on women in the first 10 weeks of pregnancy (86%)



The two most common procedures used on women obtaining abortions in 2013 were Suction Aspiration (45.1%) and RU-486 (39%).

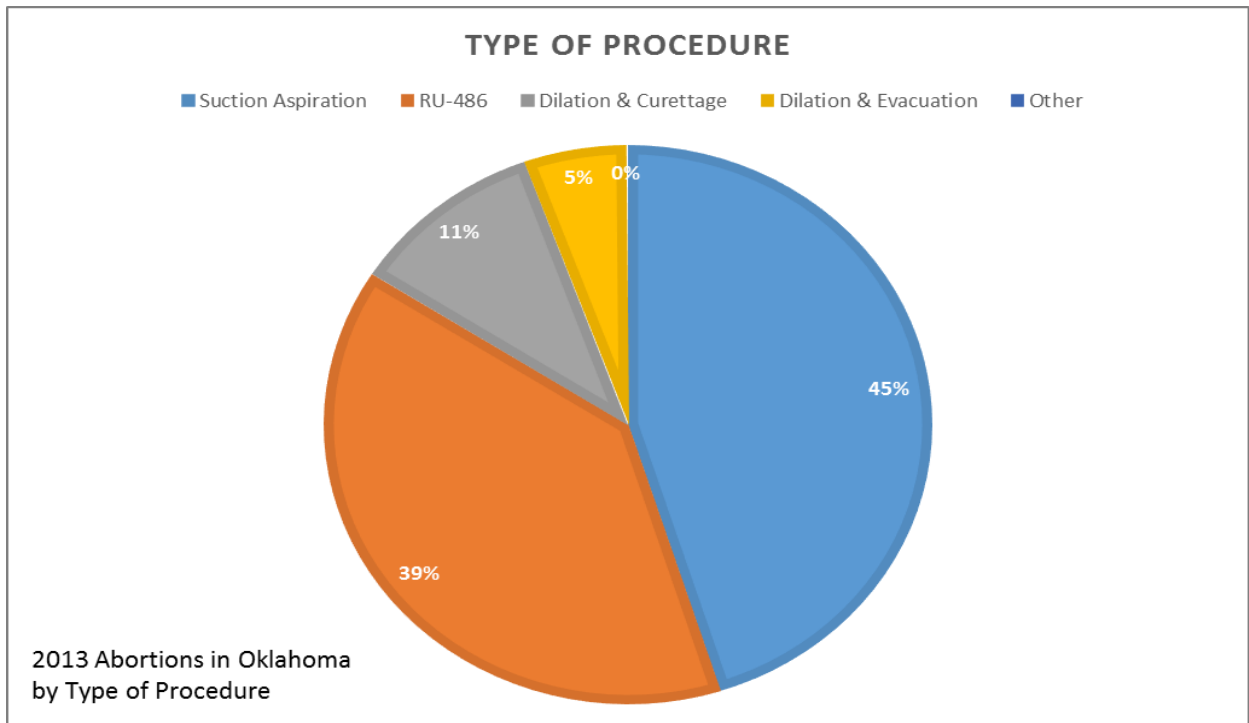


Table 2. 2013 Number of Legal Induced Abortions Reported – By Age Groups and Selected Characteristics

Characteristic	Age Group (yrs)									
	<20		20-24		25-29		30-34		≥35	
Total Number of Abortions	640	%	1628	%	1320	%	812	%	600	%
White	412	64.4%	1018	62.5%	821	62.2%	499	61.5%	387	64.5%
Black	98	15.3%	304	18.7%	241	18.3%	154	19.0%	82	13.7%
American Indian	45	7.0%	98	6.0%	57	4.3%	30	3.7%	29	4.8%
Asian	16	2.5%	39	2.4%	50	3.8%	30	3.7%	42	7.0%
Other	69	10.8%	169	10.4%	150	11.4%	99	12.2%	62	10.3%
Education										
<8th grade	31	4.8%	22	1.4%	22	1.7%	18	2.2%	17	2.8%
9-12 grade, no diploma	228	35.6%	124	7.6%	91	6.9%	64	7.9%	27	4.5%
Highschool graduate or GED	265	41.4%	677	41.6%	494	37.4%	278	34.2%	208	34.7%
Some College Credit	110	17.2%	635	39.0%	451	34.2%	274	33.7%	167	27.8%
Bachelor's Degree	*	*	137	8.4%	212	16.1%	143	17.6%	134	22.3%
Post Grad Work	2	0.3%	28	1.7%	43	3.3%	32	3.9%	36	6.0%
Marital Status										
Married	13	2.0%	123	7.6%	225	17.0%	209	25.7%	182	30.3%
Never Married	621	97.0%	1411	86.7%	904	68.5%	442	54.4%	239	39.8%
Separated	*	*	50	3.1%	62	4.7%	39	4.8%	43	7.2%
Divorced	*	*	41	2.5%	120	9.1%	117	14.4%	124	20.7%
Widowed	*	*	3	0.2%	7	0.5%	5	0.6%	*	*
Previous Live Births										
0 Previous Live Births	549	85.8%	814	50.0%	404	30.6%	138	17.0%	65	10.8%
1 Previous Live Birth	71	11.1%	513	31.5%	380	28.8%	205	25.2%	118	19.7%
2 Previous Live Births	13	2.0%	230	14.1%	309	23.4%	267	32.9%	191	31.8%
3 Previous Live Births	0	0.0%	62	3.8%	155	11.7%	123	15.1%	121	20.2%
≥4 Previous Live Births	*	*	9	0.6%	72	5.5%	78	9.6%	97	16.2%
Previous ITOPs										
0 Previous Abortions	582	90.9%	1195	73.4%	804	60.9%	431	53.1%	299	49.8%
1 Previous Abortion	46	7.2%	345	21.2%	322	24.4%	251	30.9%	178	29.7%
2 Previous Abortions	10	1.6%	65	4.0%	128	9.7%	86	10.6%	69	11.5%
≥3 Previous Abortions	1	0.2%	23	1.4%	66	5.0%	44	5.4%	55	9.2%
Gestational Age										
≤8 wks	409	63.9%	1129	69.3%	997	75.5%	596	73.4%	450	75.0%
9-10 wks	99	15.5%	231	14.2%	176	13.3%	132	16.3%	77	12.8%
11-12 wks	59	9.2%	141	8.7%	74	5.6%	41	5.0%	38	6.3%
13-15 wks	38	5.9%	81	5.0%	50	3.8%	25	3.1%	24	4.0%
≥16 wks	23	3.6%	45	2.8%	20	1.5%	17	2.1%	*	*
Type of Procedure										
Suction Aspiration	301	47.0%	756	46.4%	567	43.0%	382	47.0%	247	41.2%
RU-486	207	32.3%	603	37.0%	558	42.3%	313	38.5%	268	44.7%
Dilation & Curettage	71	11.1%	177	10.9%	128	9.7%	82	10.1%	63	10.5%
Dilation & Evacuation	61	9.5%	88	5.4%	64	4.8%	34	4.2%	22	3.7%

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Table 3. 2013 Number of Legal Induced Abortions Reported – By Race and Selected Characteristics

Characteristic	Race									
	White		Black		Am. Indian		Asian		Other	
Total Number of Abortions	3145	%	881	%	259	%	177	%	549	%
<20 yrs	412	13.1%	98	11.1%	45	17.4%	16	9.0%	69	12.6%
20-24 yrs	1018	32.4%	304	34.5%	98	37.8%	39	22.0%	169	30.8%
25-29 yrs	821	26.1%	241	27.4%	57	22.0%	50	28.2%	150	27.3%
30-34 yrs	499	15.9%	154	17.5%	30	11.6%	30	16.9%	99	18.0%
≥35 yrs	387	12.3%	82	9.3%	29	11.2%	42	23.7%	60	10.9%
Education										
<8th grade	33	1.0%	13	1.5%	6	2.3%	10	5.6%	48	8.7%
9-12 grade, no diploma	313	10.0%	76	8.6%	38	14.7%	8	4.5%	99	18.0%
Highschool graduate or GED	1207	38.4%	323	36.7%	107	41.3%	70	39.5%	225	41.0%
Some College Credit	1044	33.2%	343	38.9%	86	33.2%	44	24.9%	130	23.7%
Bachelor's Degree	450	14.3%	96	10.9%	20	7.7%	29	16.4%	32	5.8%
Post Grad Work	91	2.9%	25	2.8%	1	0.4%	15	8.5%	9	1.6%
Previous Live Births										
0 Previous Live Births	1362	43.3%	279	31.7%	92	35.5%	74	41.8%	170	31.0%
1 Previous Live Birth	809	25.7%	250	28.4%	76	29.3%	30	16.9%	131	23.9%
2 Previous Live Births	623	19.8%	180	20.4%	51	19.7%	44	24.9%	117	21.3%
3 Previous Live Births	239	7.6%	109	12.4%	23	8.9%	16	9.0%	77	14.0%
≥4 Previous Live Births	112	3.6%	62	7.0%	17	6.6%	13	7.3%	54	9.8%
Previous ITOPs										
0 Previous Abortions	2142	68.1%	506	57.4%	172	66.4%	127	71.8%	373	67.9%
1 Previous Abortion	706	22.4%	230	26.1%	54	20.8%	32	18.1%	120	21.9%
2 Previous Abortions	201	6.4%	86	9.8%	25	9.7%	13	7.3%	34	6.2%
≥3 Previous Abortions	96	3.1%	59	6.7%	8	3.1%	5	2.8%	22	4.0%
Marital Status										
Married	469	14.9%	86	9.8%	29	11.2%	71	40.1%	103	18.8%
Never Married	2190	69.6%	751	85.2%	205	79.2%	92	52.0%	387	70.5%
Separated	141	4.5%	16	1.8%	10	3.9%	6	3.4%	25	4.6%
Divorced	325	10.3%	26	3.0%	14	5.4%	8	4.5%	33	6.0%
Widowed	18	0.6%	2	0.2%	1	0.4%	0	0.0%	1	0.2%
Gestational Age										
<6 wks	1556	49.5%	354	40.2%	112	43.2%	102	57.6%	258	47.0%
7 wks	404	12.8%	134	15.2%	25	9.7%	23	13.0%	84	15.3%
8 wks	325	10.3%	115	13.1%	31	12.0%	18	10.2%	53	9.7%
9-10 wks	448	14.2%	134	15.2%	45	17.4%	21	11.9%	70	12.8%
11-12 wks	207	6.6%	71	8.1%	24	9.3%	5	2.8%	51	9.3%
13-15 wks	131	4.2%	48	5.4%	13	5.0%	4	2.3%	22	4.0%
16-20 wks	68	2.2%	24	2.7%	8	3.1%	4	2.3%	11	2.0%
Type of Procedure										
Suction Aspiration	1472	46.8%	406	46.1%	83	32.0%	78	44.1%	220	40.1%
RU-486	1225	39.0%	296	33.6%	130	50.2%	75	42.4%	226	41.2%
Dilation & Curettage	283	9.0%	124	14.1%	22	8.5%	14	7.9%	78	14.2%
Dilation & Evacuation	162	5.2%	52	5.9%	23	8.9%	9	5.1%	24	4.4%

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Table 4. 2013 Number of Legal Induced Abortions Reported – By Gestational Age and Selected Characteristics

Characteristic	Gestational Age													
	<6 wks		7 wks		8 wks		9-10 wks		11-12 wks		13-15 wks		16+ wks	
Total Number of Abortions	2383	%	671	%	542	%	718	%	358	%	218	%	115	%
White	1556	65.3%	404	60.2%	325	60.0%	448	62.4%	207	57.8%	131	60.1%	68	59.1%
Black	354	14.9%	134	20.0%	115	21.2%	134	18.7%	71	19.8%	48	22.0%	24	20.9%
Am. Indian	112	4.7%	25	3.7%	31	5.7%	45	6.3%	24	6.7%	13	6.0%	8	7.0%
Asian	102	4.3%	23	3.4%	81	14.9%	21	2.9%	5	1.4%	4	1.8%	4	3.5%
Other	258	10.8%	84	12.5%	53	9.8%	70	9.7%	51	14.2%	22	10.1%	11	9.6%
Age of Mother														
<20 yrs	240	10.1%	89	13.3%	86	15.9%	99	13.8%	63	17.6%	38	17.4%	25	21.7%
20-24 yrs	736	30.9%	218	32.5%	175	32.3%	231	32.2%	141	39.4%	81	37.2%	45	39.1%
25-29 yrs	671	28.2%	179	26.7%	147	27.1%	176	24.5%	74	20.7%	50	22.9%	20	17.4%
30-34 yrs	407	17.1%	108	16.1%	81	14.9%	132	18.4%	41	11.5%	25	11.5%	17	14.8%
≥35 yrs	320	13.4%	77	11.5%	53	9.8%	80	11.1%	38	10.6%	24	11.0%	8	7.0%
Education														
< 8th grade	46	1.9%	22	3.3%	7	1.3%	22	3.1%	7	2.0%	*	*	*	*
9-12 grade, no diploma	185	7.8%	73	10.9%	68	12.5%	87	12.1%	58	16.2%	41	18.8%	22	19.1%
Highschool graduate or GED	862	36.2%	254	37.9%	232	42.8%	279	38.9%	152	42.5%	88	40.4%	62	53.9%
Some college	810	34.0%	228	34.0%	164	30.3%	244	34.0%	114	31.8%	66	30.3%	20	17.4%
College graduate	366	15.4%	81	12.1%	59	10.9%	75	10.4%	21	5.9%	16	7.3%	7	6.1%
Post grad work	104	4.4%	8	1.2%	11	2.0%	10	1.4%	*	*	*	*	*	*
Marital Status														
Married	411	17.2%	95	14.2%	79	14.6%	95	13.2%	38	10.6%	23	10.6%	13	11.3%
Never Married	1645	69.0%	495	73.8%	401	74.0%	542	75.5%	272	76.0%	171	78.4%	97	84.3%
Separated	99	4.2%	22	3.3%	24	4.4%	28	3.9%	17	4.7%	7	3.2%	1	0.9%
Divorced	216	9.1%	54	8.0%	37	6.8%	49	6.8%	29	8.1%	17	7.8%	4	3.5%
Widowed	10	0.4%	5	0.7%	1	0.2%	4	0.6%	2	0.6%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Previous Live Births														
0 Previous Births	984	41.3%	267	39.8%	222	41.0%	249	34.7%	126	35.2%	80	36.7%	47	40.9%
1 Previous Birth	602	25.3%	172	25.6%	144	26.6%	187	26.0%	94	26.3%	66	30.3%	29	25.2%
2 Previous Births	466	19.6%	139	20.7%	109	20.1%	168	23.4%	74	20.7%	42	19.3%	16	13.9%
3 Previous Births	216	9.1%	64	9.5%	41	7.6%	75	10.4%	36	10.1%	18	8.3%	13	11.3%
≥4 Previous Births	114	4.8%	29	4.3%	26	4.8%	39	5.4%	28	7.8%	12	5.5%	10	8.7%
Previous ITOPs														
0 Previous Abortions	1591	66.8%	452	67.4%	344	63.5%	452	63.0%	236	65.9%	154	70.6%	84	73.0%
1 Previous Abortion	532	22.3%	150	22.4%	135	24.9%	180	25.1%	86	24.0%	41	18.8%	19	16.5%
2 Previous Abortions	165	6.9%	51	7.6%	40	7.4%	56	7.8%	24	6.7%	18	8.3%	5	4.3%
≥3 Previous Abortions	95	4.0%	18	2.7%	23	4.2%	30	4.2%	12	3.4%	5	2.3%	7	6.1%
Type of Procedure														
Suction Aspiration	1004	42.1%	247	36.8%	277	51.1%	486	67.7%	226	63.1%	17	7.8%	3	2.6%
RU-486	1315	55.2%	361	53.8%	186	34.3%	71	9.9%	10	2.8%	3	1.4%	0	0.0%
Dilation & Curettage	51	2.1%	48	7.2%	62	11.4%	137	19.1%	73	20.4%	113	51.8%	37	32.2%
Dilation & Evacuation	9	0.4%	14	2.1%	16	3.0%	23	3.2%	48	13.4%	85	39.0%	75	65.2%

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**Table 5. 2013 Number of Legal Induced Abortions Reported –
By Marital Status and Selected Characteristics**

Characteristic	Marital Status							
	Married		Never Married		Separated		Divorced	
Total Number of Abortions	758	%	3627	%	198	%	406	%
White	469	61.9%	2190	60.4%	141	71.2%	325	80.0%
Black	86	11.3%	751	20.7%	16	8.1%	26	6.4%
American Indian	29	3.8%	205	5.7%	10	5.1%	14	3.4%
Asian	71	9.4%	92	2.5%	6	3.0%	8	2.0%
Other	103	13.6%	387	10.7%	25	12.6%	33	8.1%
Education								
<8th grade	22	2.9%	78	2.2%	5	2.5%	5	1.2%
9-12 grade, no diploma	44	5.8%	448	12.4%	16	8.1%	26	6.4%
Highschool graduate or GED	289	38.1%	1400	38.6%	88	44.4%	150	36.9%
Some College Credit	227	29.9%	1214	33.5%	67	33.8%	128	31.5%
Bachelor's Degree	134	17.7%	388	10.7%	20	10.1%	80	19.7%
Post Grad Work	39	5.1%	83	2.3%	5	2.5%	16	3.9%
Previous Live Births								
0 Previous Live Births	117	15.4%	1767	48.7%	22	11.1%	63	15.5%
1 Previous Live Birth	182	24.0%	948	26.1%	55	27.8%	105	25.9%
2 Previous Live Births	249	32.8%	561	15.5%	67	33.8%	134	33.0%
3 Previous Live Births	133	17.5%	228	6.3%	28	14.1%	73	18.0%
≥4 Previous Live Births	76	10.0%	123	3.4%	26	13.1%	31	7.6%
Previous Abortions								
0 Previous Abortions	483	63.7%	2490	68.7%	116	58.6%	215	53.0%
1 Previous Abortion	175	23.1%	780	21.5%	62	31.3%	120	29.6%
2 Previous Abortions	65	8.6%	236	6.5%	10	5.1%	47	11.6%
≥3 Previous Abortions	35	4.6%	121	3.3%	10	5.1%	24	5.9%
Gestational Age								
< 6 wks	411	54.2%	1645	45.4%	99	50.0%	216	53.2%
7 wks	95	12.5%	495	13.6%	22	11.1%	54	13.3%
8 wks	79	10.4%	401	11.1%	24	12.1%	37	9.1%
9-10 wks	95	12.5%	542	14.9%	28	14.1%	49	12.1%
11-12 wks	38	5.0%	272	7.5%	17	8.6%	29	7.1%
13-15 wks	23	3.0%	171	4.7%	7	3.5%	17	4.2%
≥16 wks	13	1.7%	97	2.7%	1	0.5%	4	1.0%
Type of Procedure								
Suction Aspiration	363	47.9%	1591	43.9%	84	42.4%	210	51.7%
RU-486	301	39.7%	1413	39.0%	87	43.9%	142	35.0%
Dilation & Curettage	69	9.1%	397	10.9%	14	7.1%	39	9.6%
Dilation & Evacuation	24	3.2%	220	6.1%	12	6.1%	14	3.4%
Age of Mother								
<20 yrs	13	1.7%	621	17.1%	4	2.0%	2	0.5%
20-24 yrs	123	16.2%	1411	38.9%	50	25.3%	41	10.1%
25-29 yrs	225	29.7%	904	24.9%	62	31.3%	120	29.6%
30-34 yrs	209	27.6%	442	12.2%	39	19.7%	117	28.8%
≥ 35 yrs	186	24.5%	239	6.6%	43	21.7%	126	31.0%

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**Table 6. 2013 Number of Legal Induced Abortions Reported –
By Type of Procedure and Selected Characteristics**

Characteristic	Type of Procedure		RU-486		Dilation & Curettage		Dilation & Evacuation	
	Suction Aspiration		1953	%	521	%	270	%
Total Number of Abortions	2260	%	1953	%	521	%	270	%
White	1472	65.1%	1225	62.7%	283	54.3%	162	60.0%
Black	406	18.0%	296	15.2%	124	23.8%	52	19.3%
American Indian	83	3.7%	130	6.7%	22	4.2%	23	8.5%
Asian	78	3.5%	75	3.8%	14	2.7%	9	3.3%
Other	220	9.7%	226	11.6%	78	15.0%	24	8.9%
Age of Mother								
< 20 yrs	301	13.3%	207	10.6%	71	13.6%	61	22.6%
20-24 yrs	756	33.5%	603	30.9%	177	34.0%	88	32.6%
25-29 yrs	567	25.1%	558	28.6%	128	24.6%	64	23.7%
30-34 yrs	382	16.9%	313	16.0%	82	15.7%	34	12.6%
≥35 yrs	247	10.9%	268	13.7%	63	12.1%	22	8.1%
Marital Status								
Married	363	16.1%	301	15.4%	69	13.2%	24	8.9%
Unmarried	1591	70.4%	1413	72.4%	397	76.2%	220	81.5%
Separated	84	3.7%	87	4.5%	14	2.7%	12	4.4%
Divorced	210	9.3%	142	7.3%	39	7.5%	14	5.2%
Education								
< 8th grade	51	2.3%	31	1.6%	14	2.7%	13	4.8%
9-12 grade, no diploma	258	11.4%	150	7.7%	76	14.6%	49	18.1%
Highschool graduate or GED	746	33.0%	837	42.9%	222	42.6%	126	46.7%
Some College Credit	793	35.1%	628	32.2%	162	31.1%	61	22.6%
Bachelor's Degree	314	13.9%	258	13.2%	37	7.1%	17	6.3%
Post Grad Work	94	4.2%	38	1.9%	6	1.2%	3	1.1%
Previous Live Births								
0 Previous Live Births	936	41.4%	754	38.6%	174	33.4%	111	41.1%
1 Previous Live Birth	562	24.9%	528	27.0%	136	26.1%	69	25.6%
2 Previous Live Births	462	20.4%	396	20.3%	112	21.5%	42	15.6%
3 Previous Live Births	197	8.7%	176	9.0%	60	11.5%	30	11.1%
≥ 4 Previous Live Births	102	4.5%	99	5.1%	39	7.5%	18	6.7%
Previous Abortions								
0 Previous Abortions	1492	66.0%	1298	66.5%	338	64.9%	188	69.6%
1 Previous Abortion	509	22.5%	444	22.7%	133	25.5%	53	19.6%
2 Previous Abortions	176	7.8%	127	6.5%	35	6.7%	21	7.8%
≥ 3 Previous Abortions	83	3.7%	84	4.3%	15	2.9%	8	3.0%
Gestational Age								
≤ 6 wks	1004	44.4%	1315	67.3%	51	9.8%	9	3.3%
7 wks	247	10.9%	361	18.5%	48	9.2%	14	5.2%
8 wks	277	18.8%	186	9.5%	62	11.9%	16	5.9%
9-10 wks	486	21.5%	71	3.6%	137	26.3%	23	8.5%
11-12 wks	226	10.0%	10	0.5%	73	14.0%	48	17.8%
13-15 wks	17	0.8%	3	0.2%	113	21.7%	85	31.5%
16 + wks	3	0.1%	0	0.0%	37	7.1%	75	27.8%

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Table 7. 2013 Number of Legal Induced Abortions Reported – By Mother’s Education and Selected Characteristics

Characteristics	Education of Mother											
	< 8th grade		9-12, no diploma		H.S./GED completed		Some College		Bachelor's Degree		Post Grad Work	
Total # of abortions	110	%	534	%	1934	%	1647	%	627	%	141	%
White	33	30.0%	313	58.6%	1207	62.4%	1044	63.4%	450	71.8%	91	64.5%
Black	13	11.8%	76	14.2%	323	16.7%	343	20.8%	96	15.3%	25	17.7%
American Indian	6	5.5%	38	7.1%	107	5.5%	86	5.2%	20	3.2%	1	0.7%
Asian	10	9.1%	8	1.5%	70	3.6%	44	2.7%	29	4.6%	15	10.6%
Other	48	43.6%	99	18.5%	225	11.6%	130	7.9%	32	5.1%	9	6.4%
Age of Mother												
<20 yrs	31	28.2%	228	42.7%	265	13.7%	110	6.7%*	*		2	1.4%
20-24 yrs	22	20.0%	124	23.2%	677	35.0%	635	38.6%	137	21.9%	28	19.9%
25-29 yrs	22	20.0%	91	17.0%	494	25.5%	451	27.4%	212	33.8%	43	30.5%
30-34 yrs	18	16.4%	64	12.0%	278	14.4%	274	16.6%	143	22.8%	32	22.7%
≥ 35 yrs	17	15.5%	27	5.1%	208	10.8%	167	10.1%	134	21.4%	36	25.5%
Marital Status												
Married	22	20.0%	44	8.2%	289	14.9%	227	13.8%	134	21.4%	39	27.7%
Never Married	78	70.9%	448	83.9%	1400	72.4%	1214	73.7%	388	61.9%	83	58.9%
Separated	5	4.5%	16	3.0%	88	4.6%	67	4.1%	20	3.2%	5	3.5%
Divorced	5	4.5%	26	4.9%	150	7.8%	128	7.8%	80	12.8%	16	11.3%
Previous Live Births												
0 Live Births	39	35.5%	228	42.7%	620	32.1%	712	43.2%	302	48.2%	73	51.8%
1 Live Birth	15	13.6%	117	21.9%	559	28.9%	437	26.5%	139	22.2%	24	17.0%
2 Live Births	18	16.4%	101	18.9%	443	22.9%	295	17.9%	122	19.5%	31	22.0%
3 Live Births	25	22.7%	50	9.4%	204	10.5%	131	8.0%	42	6.7%	9	6.4%
≥4 Live Births	13	11.8%	38	7.1%	108	5.6%	71	4.3%	22	3.5%	4	2.8%
Previous Abortions												
0 Abortions	87	79.1%	391	73.2%	1255	64.9%	1065	64.7%	414	66.0%	94	66.7%
1 Abortion	15	13.6%	87	16.3%	454	23.5%	401	24.3%	146	23.3%	36	25.5%
2 Abortions	5	4.5%	36	6.7%	147	7.6%	121	7.3%	40	6.4%	10	7.1%
≥3 Abortions	3	2.7%	20	3.7%	78	4.0%	60	3.6%	27	4.3%	1	0.7%
Gestational Age												
≤6 wks	46	41.8%	185	34.6%	862	44.6%	810	49.2%	366	58.4%	104	73.8%
7 wks	22	20.0%	73	13.7%	254	13.1%	228	13.8%	81	12.9%	8	5.7%
8 wks	7	6.4%	68	12.7%	232	12.0%	164	10.0%	59	9.4%	11	7.8%
9-10 wks	22	20.0%	87	16.3%	279	14.4%	244	14.8%	75	12.0%	10	7.1%
11-12 wks	7	6.4%	58	10.9%	152	7.9%	114	6.9%	21	3.3%*	*	
13-15 wks	*	*	41	7.7%	88	4.6%	66	4.0%	16	2.6%*	*	
16+ wks	*	*	22	4.1%	62	3.2%	20	1.2%	7	1.1%*	*	
Type of Procedure												
Suction Aspiration	51	46.4%	258	48.3%	746	38.6%	793	48.1%	314	50.1%	94	66.7%
RU-486	31	28.2%	150	28.1%	837	43.3%	628	38.1%	258	41.1%	38	27.0%
Dilation & Curettage	14	12.7%	70	13.1%	222	11.5%	162	9.8%	37	5.9%	6	4.3%
Dilation & Evacuation	13	11.8%	49	9.2%	126	6.5%	61	3.7%	17	2.7%	3	2.1%
* (less than 5 events/populations less than 50)												
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Table 8. 2013 Number of Legal Induced Abortions Reported – By Previous Live Births and Selected Characteristics

Characteristics	Previous Live Births									
	0 births		1 birth		2 births		3 births		≥4 births	
Total # of Abortions	1978	%	1296	%	1016	%	464	%	258	%
White	1362	68.9%	809	62.4%	623	61.3%	239	51.5%	112	43.4%
Black	279	14.1%	250	19.3%	180	17.7%	109	23.5%	62	24.0%
American Indian	92	4.7%	76	5.9%	51	5.0%	23	5.0%	17	6.6%
Asian	74	3.7%	30	2.3%	44	4.3%	16	3.4%	13	5.0%
Other	170	8.6%	131	10.1%	117	11.5%	77	16.6%	54	20.9%
Age of Mother										
< 20 yrs	549	27.8%	71	5.5%	13	1.3%	0	0.0%	2	0.8%
20-24 yrs	814	41.2%	513	39.6%	230	22.6%	62	13.4%	9	3.5%
25-29 yrs	404	20.4%	380	29.3%	309	30.4%	155	33.4%	72	27.9%
30-34 yrs	138	7.0%	205	15.8%	267	26.3%	123	26.5%	78	30.2%
≥ 35 yrs	65	3.3%	118	9.1%	191	18.8%	124	26.7%	97	37.6%
Marital Status										
Married	117	5.9%	182	14.0%	249	24.5%	133	28.7%	76	29.5%
Never Married	1767	89.3%	948	73.1%	561	55.2%	228	49.1%	123	47.7%
Separated	22	1.1%	55	4.2%	67	6.6%	28	6.0%	26	10.1%
Divorced	63	3.2%	105	8.1%	134	13.2%	73	15.7%	31	12.0%
Education										
< 8th grade	39	2.0%	15	1.2%	18	1.8%	25	5.4%	13	5.0%
9-12 no diploma	228	11.5%	117	9.0%	101	9.9%	50	10.8%	38	14.7%
HS/GED completed	620	31.3%	559	43.1%	443	43.6%	204	44.0%	108	41.9%
Some College	712	36.0%	437	33.7%	295	29.0%	131	28.2%	71	27.5%
Bachelor's Degree	302	15.3%	139	10.7%	122	12.0%	42	9.1%	22	8.5%
Post Grad Work	73	3.7%	24	1.9%	31	3.1%	9	1.9%	4	1.6%
Previous Abortions										
0 Abortions	1567	79.2%	808	62.3%	575	56.6%	254	54.7%	117	45.3%
1 Abortion	312	15.8%	320	24.7%	300	29.5%	132	28.4%	79	30.6%
2 Abortions	76	3.8%	115	8.9%	90	8.9%	43	9.3%	35	13.6%
≥ 3 Abortions	23	1.2%	53	4.1%	51	5.0%	35	7.5%	27	10.5%
Gestational Age										
≤ 6 wks	984	49.7%	602	46.5%	466	45.9%	216	46.6%	114	44.2%
7 wks	267	13.5%	172	13.3%	139	13.7%	64	13.8%	29	11.2%
8 wks	222	11.2%	144	11.1%	109	10.7%	41	8.8%	26	10.1%
9-10 wks	249	12.6%	187	14.4%	168	16.5%	75	16.2%	39	15.1%
11-12 wks	126	6.4%	94	7.3%	74	7.3%	16	3.4%	28	10.9%
13-15 wks	80	4.0%	66	5.1%	42	4.1%	18	3.9%	12	4.7%
16+ wks	47	2.4%	29	2.2%	16	1.6%	13	2.8%	10	3.9%
Type of Procedure										
Suction Aspiration	936	47.3%	562	43.4%	462	45.5%	197	42.5%	102	39.5%
RU-486	754	38.1%	528	40.7%	396	39.0%	176	37.9%	99	38.4%
Dilation & Curettage	174	8.8%	136	10.5%	112	11.0%	60	12.9%	39	15.1%
Dilation & Evacuation	111	5.6%	69	5.3%	42	4.1%	30	6.5%	18	7.0%

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Table 9. 2013 Number of Legal Induced Abortions Reported – By Previous Abortions and Selected Characteristics

Characteristics	Previous Abortions							
	0 Abortions		1 Abortion		2 Abortions		≥ 3 Abortions	
Total # of abortions	3321	%	1143	%	359	%	190	%
White	2142	64.5%	706	61.8%	201	56.0%	96	50.5%
Black	506	15.2%	230	20.1%	86	24.0%	59	31.1%
American Indian	172	5.2%	54	4.7%	25	7.0%	8	4.2%
Asian	127	3.8%	32	2.8%	13	3.6%	5	2.6%
Other	373	11.2%	120	10.5%	34	9.5%	22	11.6%
Age of Mother								
< 20 yrs	582	17.5%	46	4.0%	10	2.8%	2	1.1%
20-24 yrs	1195	36.0%	345	30.2%	65	18.1%	23	12.1%
25-29 yrs	804	24.2%	322	28.2%	128	35.7%	66	34.7%
30-34 yrs	431	13.0%	251	22.0%	86	24.0%	44	23.2%
≥ 35 yrs	298	9.0%	178	15.6%	69	19.2%	55	28.9%
Marital Status								
Married	483	14.5%	175	15.3%	65	18.1%	35	18.4%
Never Married	2490	75.0%	780	68.2%	236	65.7%	121	63.7%
Separated	116	3.5%	62	5.4%	10	2.8%	10	5.3%
Divorced	215	6.5%	120	10.5%	47	13.1%	24	12.6%
Education								
< 8th grade	87	2.6%	15	1.3%	5	1.4%	3	1.6%
9-12 no diploma	391	11.8%	87	7.6%	36	10.0%	20	10.5%
HS/GED completed	1255	37.8%	454	39.7%	147	40.9%	78	41.1%
Some College	1065	32.1%	401	35.1%	121	33.7%	60	31.6%
Bachelor's Degree	414	12.5%	146	12.8%	40	11.1%	27	14.2%
Post Grad Work	94	2.8%	36	3.1%	10	2.8%	1	0.5%
Previous Live Births								
0 Live Births	1567	47.2%	312	27.3%	76	21.2%	23	12.1%
1 Live Birth	808	24.3%	320	28.0%	115	32.0%	53	27.9%
2 Live Births	575	17.3%	300	26.2%	90	25.1%	51	26.8%
3 Live Births	254	7.6%	132	11.5%	43	12.0%	35	18.4%
≥ 4 Live Births	117	3.5%	79	6.9%	35	9.7%	27	14.2%
Gestational Age								
≤ 6 wks	1591	47.9%	532	46.5%	165	46.0%	95	50.0%
7 wks	452	13.6%	150	13.1%	51	14.2%	18	9.5%
8 wks	344	10.4%	135	11.8%	40	11.1%	23	12.1%
9-10 wks	452	13.6%	180	15.7%	56	15.6%	30	15.8%
11-12 wks	236	7.1%	86	7.5%	24	6.7%	12	6.3%
13-15 wks	154	4.6%	41	3.6%	18	5.0%	5	2.6%
16+ wks	84	2.5%	19	1.7%	5	1.4%	7	3.7%
Type of Procedure								
Suction Aspiration	1492	44.9%	509	44.5%	176	49.0%	83	43.7%
RU-486	1298	39.1%	444	38.8%	127	35.4%	84	44.2%
Dilation & Curettage	338	10.2%	133	11.6%	35	9.7%	15	7.9%
Dilation & Evacuation	188	5.7%	53	4.6%	21	5.8%	8	4.2%

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