

**ABORTION STATISTICS AND REPORTING
REQUIREMENTS**

2013 GENERAL SESSION

STATE OF UTAH

Chief Sponsor: Margaret Dayton

House Sponsor: Keith Grover

LONG TITLE

General Description:

This bill modifies Title 76, Chapter 7, Offenses Against the Family.

Highlighted Provisions:

This bill:

► requires the Department of Health to prepare an annual report for the Health and Human Services Interim Committee, including information on:

- the number of abortions performed in the state; and
- at what stage of pregnancy the abortions took place; and

► makes technical changes.

Money Appropriated in this Bill:

None

Other Special Clauses:

None

Utah Code Sections Affected:

AMENDS:

76-7-305.7, as enacted by Laws of Utah 2010, Chapter 314

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the state of Utah:

Section 1. Section **76-7-305.7** is amended to read:



28 **76-7-305.7. Statistical report by the Department of Health.**

29 (1) In accordance with Subsection (2), the Department of Health shall, on an annual
30 basis, after July 1 of each year, compile and report the following information, relating to the
31 preceding fiscal year, to the Health and Human Services Interim Committee:

32 (a) the total number of abortions that were performed in the state;

33 (b) the stage of pregnancy in which the abortions described in Subsection (1)(a) were
34 performed, including:

35 (i) the trimester; and

36 (ii) estimated week of pregnancy;

37 [~~a~~] (c) the total amount of informed consent material described in this section that
38 was distributed or accessed;

39 [~~b~~] (d) the number of women who obtained abortions in this state without receiving
40 the informed consent materials described in this section;

41 [~~c~~] (e) the number of statements signed by attending physicians under Subsection
42 76-7-305.6(4); and

43 [~~d~~] (f) any other information pertaining to obtaining informed consent from a woman
44 who seeks an abortion.

45 (2) The report described in Subsection (1) shall be prepared and presented in a manner
46 that preserves physician and patient anonymity.

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