

**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; ~~§~~→ [amd] ←~~§~~

~~§~~→ • the reported reason, if any, why the patient sought the abortion; ←~~§~~

- at what stage of pregnancy the abortions took place; and

~~§~~→ • the race and ethnicity of the women on whom the abortions were performed; 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:

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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]~~ **December 31** ~~←§~~ of each year, compile and report the following
 30a information, relating to the
 31 preceding ~~§~~ ~~[fiscal]~~ **calendar** ~~←§~~ year, to the Health and Human Services Interim Committee:

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

32a ~~§~~ **(b) the reported reasons, if any, the women sought the abortions described in**
 32b **Subsection (1)(a);** ~~←§~~

33 ~~§~~ ~~[fb]~~ **(c)** ~~←§~~ the stage of pregnancy in which the abortions described in Subsection (1)(a)
 33a were
 34 performed, including:

35 (i) the trimester; and

36 (ii) estimated week of pregnancy;

36a ~~§~~ ~~§~~ ~~[te]~~ **(d)** ~~←§~~ the races ~~Ĥ~~ and ethnicities ~~←Ĥ~~ of the women who obtained
 36a1 the abortions described in

36b **Subsection**

36a1 **(1)(a), including:**

36b **(i) Alaska Native;**

36c **(ii) American Indian;**

36d **(iii) Asian;**

36e **(iv) Black or African American;**

36f **(v) Hispanic or Latino;**

36g **(vi) Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander;**

36h **(vii) White, not Hispanic or Latino; and**

36i **(viii) some other race;** ~~←§~~

37 ~~[a]~~ ~~§~~ ~~[c]~~ ~~§~~ ~~[d]~~ **(e)** ~~←§~~ ~~←§~~ the total amount of informed consent material
 37a1 described in this

37a section that

38 was distributed or accessed;

39 ~~[b]~~ ~~§~~ ~~[d]~~ ~~§~~ ~~[e]~~ **(f)** ~~←§~~ ~~←§~~ the number of women who obtained abortions in this
 39a1 state without

39a receiving

40 the informed consent materials described in this section;

41 ~~(e)~~ ~~§~~ ~~(e)~~ ~~§~~ ~~(f)~~ ~~(g)~~ ~~§~~ ~~§~~ the number of statements signed by attending
41a1 physicians under
41a Subsection
42 76-7-305.6(4); and
43 ~~(d)~~ ~~§~~ ~~(f)~~ ~~§~~ ~~(g)~~ ~~(h)~~ ~~§~~ ~~§~~ any other information pertaining to obtaining informed
43a1 consent from a
43a 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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