

Table 100. Abortions by Selected Characteristics: 1990 to 2006

[1,609 represents 1,609,000. Number of abortions from surveys conducted by source; characteristics from the U.S. Centers for Disease Control's (CDC) annual abortion surveillance summaries, with adjustments for changes in states reporting data to the Centers for Disease Control each year]

Characteristic	Number (1,000)			Percent distribution			Abortion rate per 1,000 women ¹		
	1990	2000	2006	1990	2000	2006	1990	2000	2006
Total abortions	1,609	1,313	1,242	100.0	100.0	100.0	27.4	21.3	19.9
Age of woman:									
Less than 15 years ¹	13	9	6	0.8	0.7	0.5	7.9	4.4	3.1
15 to 19 years	351	235	200	21.8	17.9	16.1	40.6	24.0	19.3
20 to 24 years	532	430	407	33.1	32.7	32.8	56.7	45.9	39.9
25 to 29 years	360	303	301	22.4	23.0	24.2	34.0	31.8	29.7
30 to 34 years	216	190	180	13.4	14.5	14.5	19.7	18.6	18.5
35 to 39 years	108	110	109	6.7	8.4	8.8	10.7	9.7	10.3
40 years and over ²	29	37	38	1.8	2.8	3.1	3.2	3.2	3.4
Race and ethnicity of woman:									
White	1,039	733	681	64.6	55.8	54.9	21.5	15.0	14.0
Black	505	488	464	31.4	37.2	37.3	63.9	54.8	50.2
Other	65	92	97	4.0	7.0	7.8	25.1	24.4	22.3
Hispanic	195	261	277	12.1	19.8	22.3	35.1	30.3	27.1
Non-Hispanic White	852	479	420	52.9	36.5	33.8	19.7	11.7	10.7
Marital status of woman: ³									
Married	341	246	212	21.0	19.0	17.0	10.6	7.9	7.2
Unmarried	1,268	1,067	1,030	79.0	81.0	83.0	47.7	34.9	31.5
Number of prior live births:									
None	780	533	508	49.0	41.0	40.9	32.0	20.2	(NA)
One	396	361	336	25.0	28.0	27.1	36.9	32.5	(NA)
Two	280	260	238	17.0	20.0	19.1	20.5	18.9	(NA)
Three	102	104	104	6.0	8.0	8.4	15.6	14.8	(NA)
Four or more	50	56	56	3.0	4.0	4.5	14.7	16.5	(NA)
Number of prior induced abortions:									
None	891	699	672	55.0	53.0	54.1	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
One	443	355	327	28.0	27.0	26.4	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Two or more	275	259	243	17.0	20.0	19.5	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Weeks of gestation:									
Less than 9 weeks	825	749	755	51.3	57.1	60.8	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
9 to 10 weeks	416	269	222	25.8	20.5	17.9	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
11 to 12 weeks	195	138	123	12.1	10.5	9.9	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
13 weeks or more	173	156	142	10.8	11.9	11.4	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

NA Not available. ¹ Denominator of rate is women aged 14. ² Denominator of rate is women aged 40-44. ³ Separated women are included with married.

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Table 101. Abortions—Number and Rate by State of Occurrence: 2000 and 2005, and by Residence: 2005

[Number of abortions by state of occurrence from surveys of hospitals, clinics, and physicians identified as providers of abortion services conducted by the Guttmacher Institute. The Guttmacher Institute reallocates abortions to the woman's state of residence for survey years. Abortion rates are computed per 1,000 women 15 to 44 years of age on July 1 of specified year]

State	Occurrence				Residence, 2005		State	Occurrence				Residence, 2005	
	Number (1,000)		Rate ¹		Number	Rate ¹		Number (1,000)		Rate ¹		Number	Rate ¹
	2000	2005	2000	2005				2000	2005	2000	2005		
U.S.	1,312,990	1,206,200	21.3	19.4	1,198,960	19.3	MO	7,920	8,400	6.6	7.0	14,900	12.5
AL	13,830	11,340	14.2	12.1	10,840	11.5	MT	2,510	2,150	13.5	11.9	2,020	11.2
AK	1,660	1,880	11.7	13.2	2,130	14.9	NE	4,250	3,220	11.6	9.1	2,990	8.4
AZ	17,940	19,480	16.5	16.1	19,710	16.3	NV	13,740	13,530	32.4	27.7	12,990	26.6
AR	5,540	4,710	9.8	8.4	5,200	9.3	NH	3,010	3,170	11.2	11.8	3,060	11.4
CA	236,060	208,430	31.2	26.9	206,260	26.6	NJ	65,780	61,150	36.3	34.5	60,330	34.0
CO	15,530	16,120	16.0	16.2	14,720	14.8	NM	5,760	6,220	14.7	15.7	6,690	16.9
CT	15,240	16,780	21.1	23.8	17,340	24.6	NY	164,630	155,960	39.1	37.7	152,340	36.9
DE	5,440	5,150	31.3	29.2	4,140	23.5	NC	37,610	34,500	21.1	18.9	29,730	16.3
DC	9,800	7,230	68.2	50.0	6,390	44.2	ND	1,340	1,230	9.9	9.6	890	7.0
FL	103,050	92,300	32.0	26.7	85,360	24.7	OH	40,230	35,060	16.5	14.9	33,140	14.1
GA	32,140	33,180	16.9	16.6	32,040	16.0	OK	7,390	6,950	10.1	9.7	7,420	10.3
HI	5,630	5,350	22.2	21.3	5,330	21.2	OR	17,010	13,200	23.6	18.1	11,900	16.3
ID	1,950	1,810	7.0	6.2	2,540	8.7	PA	36,570	34,150	14.3	13.9	38,110	15.5
IL	63,690	50,970	23.2	18.9	48,420	18.0	RI	5,600	5,290	24.1	23.3	4,680	20.6
IN	12,490	11,150	9.4	8.6	13,180	10.2	SC	8,210	7,080	9.3	8.0	13,320	15.0
IA	5,970	6,370	9.8	10.9	6,130	10.5	SD	870	790	5.5	5.1	980	6.4
KS	12,270	10,410	21.4	18.6	5,620	10.0	TN	19,010	18,140	15.2	14.5	15,520	12.4
KY	4,700	3,870	5.3	4.5	6,060	7.0	TX	89,160	85,760	18.8	17.4	84,560	17.1
LA	13,100	11,400	13.0	11.8	10,330	10.7	UT	3,510	3,630	6.7	6.4	3,610	6.4
ME	2,650	2,770	9.9	10.7	2,840	10.9	VT	1,660	1,490	12.7	11.9	1,810	14.5
MD	34,560	37,590	29.0	31.3	35,250	29.3	VA	28,780	26,520	18.1	16.4	30,590	18.9
MA	30,410	27,270	21.4	19.8	27,800	20.2	WA	26,200	23,260	20.3	17.8	23,680	18.1
MI	46,470	40,600	21.6	19.5	39,930	19.2	WV	2,540	2,360	6.8	6.7	2,700	7.7
MN	14,610	13,910	13.5	13.1	13,370	12.6	WI	11,130	9,800	9.6	8.6	10,920	9.6
MS	3,780	3,090	6.0	5.0	7,930	12.9	WY	100	70	1.0	0.7	1,220	12.2

¹ Rate per 1,000 women, 15 to 44 years old.

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