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2019 Abortion Facility Report to the Missouri General Assembly

In accordance with provisions contained in Senate Bill 5, specifically those found in Section 188.047.3 RSMo., the Annual Abortion Facility report has been compiled. This report contains information for abortion facilities only, as defined by Section 188.015 RSMo.

Senate Bill (SB) 5 enacted by the Missouri General Assembly on July 25, 2017, was signed into law and took effect October 24, 2017. SB 5 modified several provisions relating to abortions including consent to abortion procedures, complication plans, tissue reports, the definition of abortion facilities, inspections of abortion facilities, Attorney General jurisdiction, the preemption of political subdivision authority regarding abortion, whistleblower protections, and the crime of interference with medical assistance.

While Senate Bill 5 took effect October 24, 2017, rules were necessary to implement the required provisions. The Department of Health and Senior Services (DHSS) filed eleven administrative rules on October 24, 2017. Rules regarding complication plans (19 CSR 10-15.050 and 30-30.061) were filed as emergencies and became effective on November 3, 2017, expiring on May 1, 2018. DHSS filed the rules with the Joint Committee on Administrative Rules on January 12, 2018, published the rules in the Missouri Register on March 14, 2018. Ten of the rules became final on April 30, 2018 and rule 19 CSR 10-15.040, concerning consent to abortion procedures, was rescinded effective April 30, 2018. Prior to the passage of SB 5, Complication Report for Post Abortion Care forms did not document the type of abortion procedure. Revised forms document if the procedure was medical or surgical. Since rule 19 CSR 10-15.020 was not final until April 30, 2018, this report is the first to contain a full year worth of data representing the type of abortion reported on the complication report. Therefore, this report and future versions of this report, have more uniform data representing the type of abortion performed and the complications reported.

The data contained in this report is not final. Due to the reporting requirements of SB 5, this report only represents reports received through November 15, 2019. The report will be updated with data representing the full calendar year by April 15, 2020.

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2019 Year-to-Date Abortion Facility¹ Report to the Missouri General Assembly

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| Missouri Abortion Facility abortions, January 1–November 15, 2019 ² | 1,354 | |
| Type of abortion - Surgical | 1,348 | 99.5% |
| Type of abortion - Medical | 6 | 0.5% |
| Surgical abortion reports not matched to a pathology report | 2 ³ | 0.1% |

| Abortions by Type of Procedure | | | | | | | |
|------------------------------------|-------|------------------------------|--------------------|----------------------|-------|---------------------------|-----------------|
| Facility | Total | Hysterotomy/ Hysterectomy | Laminaria (D&E) | Suction Curettage | Other | Medical/ non- Surgical | Not Reported |
| Reproductive Health Services - StL | 1,354 | 0 | 307 | 1,040 | 1 | 6 | 0 |
| Total | 1,354 | 0 | 307 | 1,040 | 1 | 6 | 0 |

| Complications by Abortion Facility where abortion was performed ⁴ | | Procedure Type, if Documented ⁵ | | |
|--|--------------------|--|---------|----------------|
| Facility | # of complications | Surgical | Medical | Not Documented |
| Reproductive Health Services - StL | 17 | 11 | 2 | 4 |
| Out-of-state facilities | 63 | 11 | 51 | 1 |
| Unknown facility | 3 | 1 | 0 | 2 |
| Total | 83 | 23 | 53 | 7 |

| Abortion Facility Survey Information as of December 2, 2019 | | | |
|---|----------------------------------|-------------------------------|------------|
| Facility | # of Survey Visits and Re-Visits | # of Deficiencies/Corrections | Complaints |
| Comprehensive Health of Planned Parenthood Great Plains, Inc.-Columbia (not licensed) | 0 Onsite with Facility | 0 Deficiencies | 0 |
| Comprehensive Health of Planned Parenthood Great Plans, Inc. – Kansas City (not licensed) | 0 Onsite with Facility | 0 Deficiencies | 0 |
| Reproductive Health Services – St. Louis (licensed) | 4 Onsite with Facility | 12 Deficiencies/0 Corrections | 7 |

¹ As defined by 188.015 RSMo.

² Per 188.052 RSMo, Abortions must be reported to DHSS within 45 days of the procedure. Includes reports received through November 15, 2019.

³ Due to different reporting timelines for abortion and pathology reports, results reflect 2019 abortion reports received through November 15, 2019. Inquiries to obtain the matching pathology reports have been completed.

⁴ Data shown only reflects those complications reported to DHSS as required by 188.052 RSMo.

⁵ Prior to the passage of SB 5, complication forms did not collect abortion procedure type. The revised complication form went into effect April 30, 2018.