

# 2020 Abortion Statistics

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## Executive Summary

Pennsylvania has been monitoring and reporting on abortion data since 1975. This report is produced pursuant to Section 3214 of the Abortion Control Act, 18 Pa. C.S. § 3214(e)(1).

In 2020, there were 32,123 abortions performed in Pennsylvania. Nearly half, (14,813) of all abortions performed in Pennsylvania were to white individuals, and 14,177 were to black or African-American individuals. Abortions to individuals of Hispanic origin accounted for 3,479, or 10.9 percent, of all abortions in 2020. More than 88 percent (28,281) of the abortions performed in Pennsylvania in 2020 were to unmarried individuals.

The largest age group having abortions was 25-29, accounting for 9,841 (30.6 percent) of all 2020 abortions. Individuals under age 20 accounted for 7.9 percent of all abortions in 2020, and individuals under age 18 accounted for 2.4 percent. Comparatively, in 2019, individuals under age 20 accounted for 8.2 percent, and individuals under age 18 accounted for 2.4 percent.

Similar to 2019, 93.3 percent of the abortions performed in 2020 were on Pennsylvania residents. Residents of other states, territories and other countries accounted for just 2,144 abortions in 2020.

Of the abortions performed in 2020 in Pennsylvania, 90 percent were performed in eight counties: Allegheny; Chester; Dauphin; Delaware; Lehigh; Northampton; Philadelphia; and York.

More than 37 percent of Pennsylvania residents having abortions were residents of Philadelphia County. Other counties that account for a greater percentage of resident abortions included: Allegheny (3,083); Delaware (1,857); Montgomery (1,712); and Bucks (962). Of all 67 counties, 16 (23.9 percent) showed a decrease in the number of resident abortions performed in 2020 compared to 2019.

In 2020, there were 239 reports of complications from abortions that were submitted by physicians; 16.2 percent fewer than the 285 reported in 2019. More than 75 percent of the complications were related to retained products of conception, 13.8 percent to bleeding and 5 percent to infection.

Notes: The source for the number of abortions reported in Pennsylvania in 2020 is the "Report of Induced Termination of Pregnancy," which is an individual report filed for each procedure. The source for the complications data is "Abortions: Report of Complications," a separate reporting form completed by physicians who have provided medical care to an individual because of a complication resulting from an abortion or attempted abortion.

Unknowns are excluded from all calculations.

**Pennsylvania Induced Abortion Report  
January - December 2020**

**Table 1**

**Induced Abortions Performed in  
Pennsylvania by Age of Woman**

| <u>Age (Years)</u> | <u>Number</u> |
|--------------------|---------------|
| 12 or Under        | 6             |
| 13                 | 21            |
| 14                 | 75            |
| 15                 | 130           |
| 16                 | 212           |
| 17                 | 311           |
| 18                 | 713           |
| 19                 | 1,071         |
| 20 - 24            | 8,627         |
| 25 - 29            | 9,841         |
| 30 - 34            | 6,682         |
| 35 - 39            | 3,344         |
| 40 - 44            | 994           |
| 45 or Older        | 96            |
| Unknown            | 0             |
| Total              | 32,123        |

**Table 2**

**Induced Abortions Performed in  
Pennsylvania by Weeks of Gestation**

| <u>Weeks of Gestation</u> | <u>Number</u> |
|---------------------------|---------------|
| 8 or Less                 | 21,934        |
| 9 - 10                    | 4,715         |
| 11 - 12                   | 2,096         |
| 13 - 14                   | 1,242         |
| 15 - 17                   | 1,099         |
| 18 - 20                   | 599           |
| 21 - 23                   | 438           |
| 24 or More                | 0             |
| Total                     | 32,123        |

Note: Weeks of gestation are based on clinical estimate.

**Table 3**  
**Induced Abortions Performed in**  
**Pennsylvania by Race of Woman**  
**January - December 2020**

| <u>Race of Woman</u>      | <u>Number</u> |
|---------------------------|---------------|
| White                     | 14,813        |
| Black or African-American | 14,177        |
| Asian / Pacific Islander  | 1,099         |
| Multi-Race                | 1,147         |
| All Other Races           | 370           |
| Unknown                   | 517           |
| Total                     | 32,123        |

**Table 4**  
**Induced Abortions Performed in**  
**Pennsylvania by Hispanic Origin of Woman**  
**January - December 2020**

| <u>Hispanic Origin</u> | <u>Number</u> |
|------------------------|---------------|
| Hispanic               | 3,479         |
| Non-Hispanic           | 28,568        |
| Unknown                | 76            |
| Total                  | 32,123        |

Note: Hispanic origin can be of any race.

**Table 5**  
**Induced Abortions Performed in**  
**Pennsylvania by Primary Type of Procedure**  
**January - December 2020**

| <u>Primary Abortion Procedure</u>                    | <u>Number</u> |
|--|---------------|
| Suction Curettage                                    | 14,278        |
| Sharp Curettage                                      | 129           |
| Dilation and Evacuation                              | 1,350         |
| Intra-Uterine Instillation (Saline or Prostaglandin) | 4             |
| Hysterotomy/Hysterectomy                             | 5             |
| Medical (Nonsurgical)                                | 16,349        |
| Other  | 8             |
| Total  | 32,123        |

**Table 6**  
**Induced Abortions Performed in**  
**Pennsylvania by Marital Status of Woman**  
**January - December 2020**

| <u>Marital Status</u> | <u>Number</u> |
|-----------------------|---------------|
| Married               | 3,755         |
| Unmarried             | 28,281        |
| Unknown               | 87            |
| Total                 | 32,123        |

**Table 7**  
**Induced Abortions Performed in Pennsylvania**  
**by Residence and Age of Woman**  
**January - December 2020**

| <u>Residence</u>   | <u>Age of Woman (In Years)</u> |                 |              |              |              |              |              |              |            |                |
|--------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|------------|----------------|
|                    | <u>All Ages</u>                | <u>Under 15</u> | <u>15-17</u> | <u>18-19</u> | <u>20-24</u> | <u>25-29</u> | <u>30-34</u> | <u>35-39</u> | <u>40+</u> | <u>Unknown</u> |
| Total Pennsylvania | 29,979                         | 96              | 626          | 1,674        | 7,993        | 9,215        | 6,250        | 3,099        | 1,026      | 0              |
| Adams              | 58                             | 0               | 0            | 2            | 20           | 18           | 11           | 6            | 1          | 0              |
| Allegheny          | 3,083                          | 15              | 76           | 146          | 845          | 946          | 652          | 305          | 98         | 0              |
| Armstrong          | 48                             | 0               | 0            | 4            | 11           | 14           | 15           | 1            | 3          | 0              |
| Beaver             | 290                            | 3               | 6            | 15           | 82           | 87           | 60           | 25           | 12         | 0              |
| Bedford            | 13                             | 0               | 0            | 4            | 2            | 3            | 2            | 2            | 0          | 0              |
| Berks              | 888                            | 3               | 16           | 44           | 299          | 254          | 174          | 70           | 28         | 0              |
| Blair              | 106                            | 0               | 3            | 12           | 35           | 28           | 16           | 6            | 6          | 0              |
| Bradford           | 6                              | 0               | 0            | 1            | 3            | 2            | 0            | 0            | 0          | 0              |
| Bucks              | 962                            | 2               | 10           | 60           | 222          | 270          | 199          | 138          | 61         | 0              |
| Butler             | 157                            | 0               | 1            | 13           | 39           | 48           | 32           | 19           | 5          | 0              |
| Cambria            | 141                            | 0               | 4            | 9            | 45           | 43           | 28           | 9            | 3          | 0              |
| Cameron            | 5                              | 0               | 0            | 0            | 3            | 1            | 1            | 0            | 0          | 0              |
| Carbon             | 99                             | 0               | 3            | 3            | 32           | 27           | 17           | 15           | 2          | 0              |
| Centre             | 117                            | 1               | 0            | 5            | 44           | 27           | 23           | 12           | 5          | 0              |
| Chester            | 882                            | 0               | 33           | 47           | 220          | 225          | 197          | 116          | 44         | 0              |
| Clarion            | 23                             | 0               | 0            | 0            | 5            | 7            | 8            | 2            | 1          | 0              |
| Clearfield         | 59                             | 0               | 4            | 1            | 15           | 16           | 14           | 6            | 3          | 0              |
| Clinton            | 26                             | 0               | 0            | 1            | 13           | 10           | 2            | 0            | 0          | 0              |
| Columbia           | 79                             | 0               | 0            | 5            | 27           | 30           | 7            | 5            | 5          | 0              |
| Crawford           | 41                             | 0               | 0            | 3            | 13           | 9            | 8            | 5            | 3          | 0              |
| Cumberland         | 275                            | 0               | 2            | 12           | 81           | 84           | 61           | 26           | 9          | 0              |
| Dauphin            | 931                            | 1               | 26           | 55           | 262          | 271          | 206          | 82           | 28         | 0              |
| Delaware           | 1,857                          | 4               | 34           | 96           | 443          | 553          | 439          | 213          | 75         | 0              |
| Elk                | 20                             | 0               | 1            | 0            | 9            | 5            | 4            | 0            | 1          | 0              |
| Erie               | 233                            | 0               | 10           | 12           | 68           | 79           | 36           | 21           | 7          | 0              |
| Fayette            | 175                            | 0               | 4            | 10           | 48           | 54           | 34           | 19           | 6          | 0              |
| Forest             | 5                              | 0               | 0            | 2            | 1            | 0            | 2            | 0            | 0          | 0              |
| Franklin           | 36                             | 1               | 1            | 6            | 9            | 9            | 6            | 2            | 2          | 0              |
| Fulton             | 2                              | 0               | 0            | 0            | 1            | 1            | 0            | 0            | 0          | 0              |
| Greene             | 47                             | 0               | 1            | 4            | 16           | 17           | 7            | 2            | 0          | 0              |
| Huntingdon         | 23                             | 0               | 0            | 1            | 7            | 8            | 5            | 0            | 2          | 0              |
| Indiana            | 81                             | 1               | 0            | 6            | 26           | 16           | 22           | 9            | 1          | 0              |
| Jefferson          | 26                             | 0               | 2            | 3            | 5            | 6            | 7            | 2            | 1          | 0              |
| Juniata            | 13                             | 0               | 0            | 2            | 2            | 4            | 2            | 2            | 1          | 0              |
| Lackawanna         | 311                            | 1               | 7            | 16           | 88           | 90           | 60           | 38           | 11         | 0              |
| Lancaster          | 617                            | 3               | 10           | 38           | 183          | 177          | 118          | 74           | 14         | 0              |
| Lawrence           | 116                            | 0               | 2            | 7            | 28           | 37           | 24           | 11           | 7          | 0              |
| Lebanon            | 160                            | 1               | 3            | 7            | 51           | 46           | 24           | 24           | 4          | 0              |
| Lehigh             | 960                            | 0               | 18           | 73           | 273          | 284          | 173          | 100          | 39         | 0              |
| Luzerne            | 709                            | 7               | 12           | 47           | 210          | 216          | 127          | 72           | 18         | 0              |

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**Table 7**  
**Induced Abortions Performed in Pennsylvania**  
**by Residence and Age of Woman**  
**January - December 2020**

| <u>Residence</u>                 | <u>Age of Woman (In Years)</u> |                 |              |              |              |              |              |              |            | <u>Unknown</u> |
|----------------------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|------------|----------------|
|                                  | <u>All Ages</u>                | <u>Under 15</u> | <u>15-17</u> | <u>18-19</u> | <u>20-24</u> | <u>25-29</u> | <u>30-34</u> | <u>35-39</u> | <u>40+</u> |                |
| Lycoming                         | 121                            | 1               | 1            | 8            | 43           | 28           | 29           | 8            | 3          | 0              |
| McKean                           | 12                             | 0               | 0            | 1            | 4            | 4            | 1            | 2            | 0          | 0              |
| Mercer                           | 101                            | 1               | 3            | 9            | 32           | 30           | 17           | 5            | 4          | 0              |
| Mifflin                          | 33                             | 1               | 0            | 3            | 9            | 15           | 3            | 2            | 0          | 0              |
| Monroe                           | 373                            | 0               | 9            | 28           | 95           | 110          | 77           | 39           | 15         | 0              |
| Montgomery                       | 1,712                          | 2               | 26           | 90           | 412          | 483          | 366          | 249          | 84         | 0              |
| Montour                          | 13                             | 0               | 0            | 0            | 2            | 3            | 4            | 1            | 3          | 0              |
| Northampton                      | 557                            | 4               | 11           | 35           | 127          | 168          | 112          | 74           | 26         | 0              |
| Northumberland                   | 105                            | 0               | 1            | 11           | 32           | 33           | 14           | 11           | 3          | 0              |
| Perry                            | 42                             | 0               | 0            | 1            | 13           | 16           | 8            | 4            | 0          | 0              |
| Philadelphia                     | 11,301                         | 37              | 231          | 590          | 2,892        | 3,751        | 2,429        | 1,059        | 312        | 0              |
| Pike                             | 49                             | 0               | 2            | 1            | 14           | 15           | 11           | 4            | 2          | 0              |
| Potter                           | 4                              | 0               | 0            | 1            | 1            | 0            | 0            | 1            | 1          | 0              |
| Schuylkill                       | 225                            | 1               | 1            | 14           | 59           | 65           | 51           | 23           | 11         | 0              |
| Snyder                           | 23                             | 0               | 3            | 5            | 5            | 7            | 1            | 2            | 0          | 0              |
| Somerset                         | 44                             | 0               | 1            | 6            | 13           | 8            | 9            | 3            | 4          | 0              |
| Sullivan                         | 2                              | 0               | 0            | 0            | 0            | 1            | 1            | 0            | 0          | 0              |
| Susquehanna                      | 22                             | 0               | 1            | 1            | 3            | 5            | 6            | 3            | 3          | 0              |
| Tioga                            | 12                             | 0               | 1            | 3            | 1            | 2            | 3            | 2            | 0          | 0              |
| Union                            | 20                             | 0               | 0            | 1            | 4            | 7            | 3            | 3            | 2          | 0              |
| Venango                          | 28                             | 0               | 1            | 0            | 10           | 6            | 5            | 5            | 1          | 0              |
| Warren                           | 10                             | 0               | 1            | 0            | 3            | 2            | 2            | 1            | 1          | 0              |
| Washington                       | 263                            | 1               | 9            | 15           | 63           | 66           | 66           | 35           | 8          | 0              |
| Wayne                            | 37                             | 0               | 0            | 0            | 10           | 13           | 6            | 8            | 0          | 0              |
| Westmoreland                     | 390                            | 3               | 15           | 24           | 117          | 106          | 74           | 36           | 15         | 0              |
| Wyoming                          | 38                             | 0               | 3            | 3            | 13           | 9            | 6            | 3            | 1          | 0              |
| York                             | 759                            | 2               | 17           | 51           | 230          | 239          | 123          | 76           | 21         | 0              |
| Unknown                          | 3                              | 0               | 0            | 1            | 0            | 1            | 0            | 1            | 0          | 0              |
| <u>Other States/Countries</u>    |                                |                 |              |              |              |              |              |              |            |                |
| Delaware                         | 715                            | 0               | 9            | 39           | 195          | 223          | 145          | 84           | 20         | 0              |
| Maryland                         | 23                             | 0               | 0            | 1            | 6            | 5            | 8            | 3            | 0          | 0              |
| New Jersey                       | 336                            | 0               | 3            | 18           | 80           | 92           | 75           | 50           | 18         | 0              |
| New York                         | 30                             | 0               | 0            | 4            | 10           | 8            | 4            | 4            | 0          | 0              |
| Ohio                             | 570                            | 6               | 10           | 23           | 163          | 176          | 123          | 53           | 16         | 0              |
| West Virginia                    | 374                            | 0               | 5            | 23           | 137          | 95           | 64           | 43           | 7          | 0              |
| Other States/Territories         | 95                             | 0               | 0            | 2            | 43           | 26           | 13           | 8            | 3          | 0              |
| Other Countries                  | 1                              | 0               | 0            | 0            | 0            | 1            | 0            | 0            | 0          | 0              |
| Unknown                          | 0                              | 0               | 0            | 0            | 0            | 0            | 0            | 0            | 0          | 0              |
| Total Other States/<br>Countries | 2,144                          | 6               | 27           | 110          | 634          | 626          | 432          | 245          | 64         | 0              |
| Total All Abortions              | 32,123                         | 102             | 653          | 1,784        | 8,627        | 9,841        | 6,682        | 3,344        | 1,090      | 0              |

**Table 8**  
**Induced Abortions Performed in Pennsylvania**  
**by County of Procedure**  
**January - December 2020**

| <u>County</u> | <u>Number</u> | <u>County</u>  | <u>Number</u> |
|---------------|---------------|----------------|---------------|
| Adams         | -             | Lackawanna     | -             |
| Allegheny     | 6,480         | Lancaster      | -             |
| Armstrong     | -             | Lawrence       | -             |
| Beaver        | -             | Lebanon        | -             |
| Bedford       | -             | Lehigh         | 1,479         |
| Berks         | 823           | Luzerne        | 503           |
| Blair         | -             | Lycoming       | -             |
| Bradford      | -             | McKean         | -             |
| Bucks         | 885           | Mercer         | -             |
| Butler        | -             | Mifflin        | -             |
| Cambria       | -             | Monroe         | -             |
| Cameron       | -             | Montgomery     | 989           |
| Carbon        | -             | Montour        | 2             |
| Centre        | -             | Northampton    | 2,174         |
| Chester       | 1,153         | Northumberland | -             |
| Clarion       | -             | Perry          | -             |
| Clearfield    | -             | Philadelphia   | 13,197        |
| Clinton       | -             | Pike           | -             |
| Columbia      | -             | Potter         | -             |
| Crawford      | -             | Schuylkill     | -             |
| Cumberland    | -             | Snyder         | -             |
| Dauphin       | 1,254         | Somerset       | -             |
| Delaware      | 1,754         | Sullivan       | -             |
| Elk           | -             | Susquehanna    | -             |
| Erie          | -             | Tioga          | -             |
| Fayette       | -             | Union          | 1             |
| Forest        | -             | Venango        | -             |
| Franklin      | -             | Warren         | -             |
| Fulton        | -             | Washington     | -             |
| Greene        | -             | Wayne          | -             |
| Huntingdon    | -             | Westmoreland   | -             |
| Indiana       | -             | Wyoming        | -             |
| Jefferson     | -             | York           | 1,429         |
| Juniata       | -             |                |               |
|               |               | Total          | 32,123        |

**Induced Abortions: Report of Complications  
January - December 2020**

**Table 9A  
Type of Complication by Age of Woman**

| Age Group    | Total      | Infection | Retained Products<br>of Conception | Bleeding  | Other     |
|--------------|------------|-----------|------------------------------------|-----------|-----------|
| Under 15     | 0          | 0         | 0                                  | 0         | 0         |
| 15 - 19      | 14         | 0         | 11                                 | 3         | 0         |
| 20 - 24      | 52         | 1         | 42                                 | 4         | 5         |
| 25 - 29      | 65         | 3         | 43                                 | 13        | 6         |
| 30 - 34      | 66         | 5         | 49                                 | 10        | 2         |
| 35 - 39      | 33         | 3         | 26                                 | 3         | 1         |
| 40+          | 9          | 0         | 9                                  | 0         | 0         |
| Unknown      | 0          | 0         | 0                                  | 0         | 0         |
| <b>Total</b> | <b>239</b> | <b>12</b> | <b>180</b>                         | <b>33</b> | <b>14</b> |

**Table 9B  
Type of Complication by Weeks of Gestation**

| Weeks of<br>Gestation | Total      | Infection | Retained Products<br>of Conception | Bleeding  | Other     |
|-----------------------|------------|-----------|------------------------------------|-----------|-----------|
| 8 or Less             | 132        | 8         | 103                                | 13        | 8         |
| 9 - 10                | 41         | 0         | 32                                 | 6         | 3         |
| 11 - 12               | 18         | 0         | 17                                 | 1         | 0         |
| 13 - 14               | 9          | 0         | 7                                  | 1         | 1         |
| 15 - 17               | 10         | 0         | 5                                  | 5         | 0         |
| 18 - 20               | 7          | 1         | 4                                  | 2         | 0         |
| 21 - 23               | 11         | 2         | 3                                  | 5         | 1         |
| 24+                   | 0          | 0         | 0                                  | 0         | 0         |
| Unknown               | 11         | 1         | 9                                  | 0         | 1         |
| <b>Total</b>          | <b>239</b> | <b>12</b> | <b>180</b>                         | <b>33</b> | <b>14</b> |

**Table 9C  
Type of Complication by Termination Procedure Used**

| Procedure           | Total      | Infection | Retained Products<br>of Conception | Bleeding  | Other     |
|---------------------|------------|-----------|------------------------------------|-----------|-----------|
| Suction Curettage   | 72         | 8         | 51                                 | 8         | 5         |
| Sharp Curettage     | 9          | 0         | 8                                  | 1         | 0         |
| Dilation/Evacuation | 34         | 3         | 15                                 | 12        | 4         |
| Medical             | 119        | 0         | 103                                | 12        | 4         |
| Other               | 1          | 0         | 1                                  | 0         | 0         |
| Unknown             | 4          | 1         | 2                                  | 0         | 1         |
| <b>Total</b>        | <b>239</b> | <b>12</b> | <b>180</b>                         | <b>33</b> | <b>14</b> |

Notes: These data are based on Reports of Complications submitted by physicians who have provided care to a woman in need of medical care because of a complication resulting from an abortion or attempted abortion.

Weeks of gestation are based on clinical estimate.



**Table 10**  
**Induced Abortions Performed in Pennsylvania**  
**by Age of Woman and Weeks of Gestation**  
**January - December 2020**

| <u>Age (Years)</u> | <u>Total</u> | <u>Weeks of Gestation</u> |             |              |              |              |              |              |                   |
|--------------------|--------------|---------------------------|-------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|-------------------|
|                    |              | <u>8 or Less</u>          | <u>9-10</u> | <u>11-12</u> | <u>13-14</u> | <u>15-17</u> | <u>18-20</u> | <u>21-23</u> | <u>24 or More</u> |
| Under 15           | 102          | 48                        | 14          | 13           | 8            | 7            | 4            | 8            | 0                 |
| 15 - 17            | 653          | 320                       | 130         | 82           | 40           | 41           | 23           | 17           | 0                 |
| 18 - 19            | 1,784        | 1,081                     | 322         | 139          | 81           | 99           | 39           | 23           | 0                 |
| 20 - 24            | 8,627        | 5,853                     | 1,342       | 609          | 329          | 267          | 136          | 91           | 0                 |
| 25 - 29            | 9,841        | 6,878                     | 1,439       | 604          | 338          | 292          | 185          | 105          | 0                 |
| 30 - 34            | 6,682        | 4,683                     | 882         | 380          | 277          | 230          | 120          | 110          | 0                 |
| 35 - 39            | 3,344        | 2,292                     | 456         | 201          | 128          | 120          | 78           | 69           | 0                 |
| 40+                | 1,090        | 779                       | 130         | 68           | 41           | 43           | 14           | 15           | 0                 |
| Unknown            | 0            | 0                         | 0           | 0            | 0            | 0            | 0            | 0            | 0                 |
| Total              | 32,123       | 21,934                    | 4,715       | 2,096        | 1,242        | 1,099        | 599          | 438          | 0                 |

**Table 11**  
**Induced Abortions Performed in Pennsylvania**  
**by Primary Type of Procedure and Weeks of Gestation**  
**January - December 2020**

| <u>Primary Procedure</u>                               | <u>Total</u> | <u>Weeks of Gestation</u> |             |              |              |              |              |              |                   |
|--|--------------|---------------------------|-------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|-------------------|
|  |              | <u>8 or Less</u>          | <u>9-10</u> | <u>11-12</u> | <u>13-14</u> | <u>15-17</u> | <u>18-20</u> | <u>21-23</u> | <u>24 or More</u> |
| Suction Curettage                                      | 14,278       | 7,761                     | 2,528       | 1,937        | 895          | 670          | 349          | 138          | 0                 |
| Sharp Curettage  | 129          | 74                        | 24          | 16           | 14           | 1            | 0            | 0            | 0                 |
| Dilation and Evacuation                                | 1,350        | 49                        | 29          | 47           | 315          | 414          | 222          | 274          | 0                 |
| Intra-Uterine Instillation-<br>Saline or Prostaglandin | 4            | 2                         | 0           | 0            | 2            | 0            | 0            | 0            | 0                 |
| Hysterotomy/<br>Hysterectomy                           | 5            | 3                         | 1           | 0            | 0            | 0            | 0            | 1            | 0                 |
| Medical (Nonsurgical)                                  | 16,349       | 14,041                    | 2,133       | 96           | 16           | 12           | 26           | 25           | 0                 |
| Other  | 8            | 4                         | 0           | 0            | 0            | 2            | 2            | 0            | 0                 |
| Total  | 32,123       | 21,934                    | 4,715       | 2,096        | 1,242        | 1,099        | 599          | 438          | 0                 |

Note: Weeks of gestation are based on clinical estimate.

**Table 12**  
**Induced Abortions Performed in Pennsylvania**  
**by Residence and Weeks of Gestation**  
**January - December 2020**

| <u>Residence</u>   | <u>Total</u> | <u>Weeks of Gestation</u> |             |              |              |              |              |              |                   |
|--------------------|--------------|---------------------------|-------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|-------------------|
|                    |              | <u>8 or Less</u>          | <u>9-10</u> | <u>11-12</u> | <u>13-14</u> | <u>15-17</u> | <u>18-20</u> | <u>21-23</u> | <u>24 or More</u> |
| Total Pennsylvania | 29,979       | 20,596                    | 4,388       | 1,966        | 1,158        | 971          | 530          | 370          | 0                 |
| Adams              | 58           | 44                        | 5           | 8            | 0            | 0            | 1            | 0            | 0                 |
| Allegheny          | 3,083        | 2,001                     | 513         | 247          | 117          | 93           | 46           | 66           | 0                 |
| Armstrong          | 48           | 29                        | 3           | 8            | 1            | 4            | 1            | 2            | 0                 |
| Beaver             | 290          | 166                       | 57          | 18           | 23           | 8            | 6            | 12           | 0                 |
| Bedford            | 13           | 8                         | 2           | 1            | 0            | 0            | 2            | 0            | 0                 |
| Berks              | 888          | 653                       | 114         | 53           | 29           | 18           | 14           | 7            | 0                 |
| Blair              | 106          | 61                        | 14          | 8            | 7            | 8            | 4            | 4            | 0                 |
| Bradford           | 6            | 3                         | 1           | 0            | 0            | 1            | 1            | 0            | 0                 |
| Bucks              | 962          | 698                       | 133         | 66           | 23           | 23           | 11           | 8            | 0                 |
| Butler             | 157          | 109                       | 15          | 14           | 4            | 7            | 1            | 7            | 0                 |
| Cambria            | 141          | 90                        | 20          | 16           | 5            | 5            | 2            | 3            | 0                 |
| Cameron            | 5            | 3                         | 0           | 0            | 0            | 1            | 0            | 1            | 0                 |
| Carbon             | 99           | 65                        | 21          | 7            | 3            | 1            | 1            | 1            | 0                 |
| Centre             | 117          | 91                        | 8           | 5            | 5            | 2            | 3            | 3            | 0                 |
| Chester            | 882          | 631                       | 110         | 48           | 33           | 26           | 18           | 16           | 0                 |
| Clarion            | 23           | 10                        | 5           | 4            | 1            | 2            | 0            | 1            | 0                 |
| Clearfield         | 59           | 32                        | 2           | 11           | 3            | 8            | 1            | 2            | 0                 |
| Clinton            | 26           | 18                        | 2           | 4            | 0            | 0            | 1            | 1            | 0                 |
| Columbia           | 79           | 55                        | 8           | 9            | 2            | 4            | 1            | 0            | 0                 |
| Crawford           | 41           | 23                        | 4           | 7            | 1            | 3            | 0            | 3            | 0                 |
| Cumberland         | 275          | 203                       | 44          | 14           | 9            | 2            | 1            | 2            | 0                 |
| Dauphin            | 931          | 654                       | 156         | 62           | 32           | 14           | 10           | 3            | 0                 |
| Delaware           | 1,857        | 1,343                     | 248         | 86           | 47           | 72           | 41           | 20           | 0                 |
| Elk                | 20           | 11                        | 3           | 3            | 0            | 2            | 1            | 0            | 0                 |
| Erie               | 233          | 134                       | 45          | 24           | 10           | 11           | 4            | 5            | 0                 |
| Fayette            | 175          | 115                       | 27          | 15           | 5            | 5            | 6            | 2            | 0                 |
| Forest             | 5            | 2                         | 1           | 1            | 0            | 1            | 0            | 0            | 0                 |
| Franklin           | 36           | 25                        | 3           | 3            | 1            | 1            | 2            | 1            | 0                 |
| Fulton             | 2            | 1                         | 1           | 0            | 0            | 0            | 0            | 0            | 0                 |
| Greene             | 47           | 30                        | 8           | 4            | 1            | 2            | 1            | 1            | 0                 |
| Huntingdon         | 23           | 17                        | 1           | 2            | 1            | 2            | 0            | 0            | 0                 |
| Indiana            | 81           | 58                        | 8           | 8            | 1            | 1            | 2            | 3            | 0                 |
| Jefferson          | 26           | 15                        | 6           | 1            | 1            | 1            | 2            | 0            | 0                 |
| Juniata            | 13           | 10                        | 1           | 1            | 1            | 0            | 0            | 0            | 0                 |
| Lackawanna         | 311          | 206                       | 62          | 19           | 8            | 9            | 6            | 1            | 0                 |
| Lancaster          | 617          | 437                       | 91          | 42           | 23           | 13           | 9            | 2            | 0                 |
| Lawrence           | 116          | 68                        | 21          | 14           | 6            | 4            | 1            | 2            | 0                 |
| Lebanon            | 160          | 111                       | 22          | 15           | 6            | 2            | 2            | 2            | 0                 |
| Lehigh             | 960          | 676                       | 122         | 69           | 40           | 26           | 15           | 12           | 0                 |
| Luzerne            | 709          | 476                       | 122         | 47           | 20           | 23           | 13           | 8            | 0                 |

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**Table 12**  
**Induced Abortions Performed in Pennsylvania**  
**by Residence and Weeks of Gestation**  
**January - December 2020**

| <u>Residence</u>                 | <u>Total</u> | <u>Weeks of Gestation</u> |             |              |              |              |              |              |                   |
|----------------------------------|--------------|---------------------------|-------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|-------------------|
|                                  |              | <u>8 or Less</u>          | <u>9-10</u> | <u>11-12</u> | <u>13-14</u> | <u>15-17</u> | <u>18-20</u> | <u>21-23</u> | <u>24 or More</u> |
| Lycoming                         | 121          | 74                        | 24          | 12           | 3            | 4            | 4            | 0            | 0                 |
| McKean                           | 12           | 10                        | 1           | 0            | 1            | 0            | 0            | 0            | 0                 |
| Mercer                           | 101          | 60                        | 15          | 11           | 5            | 4            | 3            | 3            | 0                 |
| Mifflin                          | 33           | 21                        | 8           | 3            | 0            | 1            | 0            | 0            | 0                 |
| Monroe                           | 373          | 273                       | 50          | 26           | 10           | 6            | 5            | 3            | 0                 |
| Montgomery                       | 1,712        | 1,262                     | 234         | 64           | 51           | 49           | 32           | 20           | 0                 |
| Montour                          | 13           | 10                        | 1           | 0            | 1            | 1            | 0            | 0            | 0                 |
| Northampton                      | 557          | 412                       | 81          | 27           | 18           | 13           | 4            | 2            | 0                 |
| Northumberland                   | 105          | 76                        | 10          | 9            | 2            | 4            | 4            | 0            | 0                 |
| Perry                            | 42           | 30                        | 6           | 3            | 0            | 0            | 2            | 1            | 0                 |
| Philadelphia                     | 11,301       | 7,674                     | 1,632       | 707          | 517          | 437          | 220          | 114          | 0                 |
| Pike                             | 49           | 30                        | 11          | 3            | 2            | 2            | 1            | 0            | 0                 |
| Potter                           | 4            | 2                         | 1           | 0            | 0            | 0            | 0            | 1            | 0                 |
| Schuylkill                       | 225          | 170                       | 24          | 15           | 8            | 6            | 1            | 1            | 0                 |
| Snyder                           | 23           | 15                        | 4           | 2            | 1            | 1            | 0            | 0            | 0                 |
| Somerset                         | 44           | 23                        | 10          | 2            | 4            | 2            | 1            | 2            | 0                 |
| Sullivan                         | 2            | 1                         | 1           | 0            | 0            | 0            | 0            | 0            | 0                 |
| Susquehanna                      | 22           | 16                        | 0           | 1            | 1            | 2            | 1            | 1            | 0                 |
| Tioga                            | 12           | 9                         | 1           | 1            | 0            | 0            | 0            | 1            | 0                 |
| Union                            | 20           | 13                        | 3           | 2            | 1            | 1            | 0            | 0            | 0                 |
| Venango                          | 28           | 17                        | 4           | 3            | 2            | 1            | 0            | 1            | 0                 |
| Warren                           | 10           | 4                         | 2           | 2            | 2            | 0            | 0            | 0            | 0                 |
| Washington                       | 263          | 161                       | 55          | 14           | 12           | 9            | 5            | 7            | 0                 |
| Wayne                            | 37           | 25                        | 6           | 4            | 1            | 0            | 1            | 0            | 0                 |
| Westmoreland                     | 390          | 255                       | 64          | 19           | 15           | 16           | 11           | 10           | 0                 |
| Wyoming                          | 38           | 26                        | 6           | 3            | 1            | 1            | 1            | 0            | 0                 |
| York                             | 759          | 542                       | 105         | 69           | 31           | 6            | 4            | 2            | 0                 |
| Unknown                          | 3            | 3                         | 0           | 0            | 0            | 0            | 0            | 0            | 0                 |
| <u>Other States/Countries</u>    |              |                           |             |              |              |              |              |              |                   |
| Delaware                         | 715          | 457                       | 102         | 41           | 24           | 55           | 25           | 11           | 0                 |
| Maryland                         | 23           | 17                        | 1           | 0            | 0            | 3            | 1            | 1            | 0                 |
| New Jersey                       | 336          | 229                       | 34          | 12           | 18           | 18           | 15           | 10           | 0                 |
| New York                         | 30           | 23                        | 3           | 0            | 0            | 1            | 0            | 3            | 0                 |
| Ohio                             | 570          | 322                       | 111         | 39           | 21           | 26           | 16           | 35           | 0                 |
| West Virginia                    | 374          | 229                       | 61          | 33           | 19           | 16           | 10           | 6            | 0                 |
| Other States/Territories         | 95           | 60                        | 15          | 5            | 2            | 9            | 2            | 2            | 0                 |
| Other Countries                  | 1            | 1                         | 0           | 0            | 0            | 0            | 0            | 0            | 0                 |
| Unknown                          | 0            | 0                         | 0           | 0            | 0            | 0            | 0            | 0            | 0                 |
| Total Other States/<br>Countries | 2,144        | 1,338                     | 327         | 130          | 84           | 128          | 69           | 68           | 0                 |
| Total All Abortions              | 32,123       | 21,934                    | 4,715       | 2,096        | 1,242        | 1,099        | 599          | 438          | 0                 |

Note: Weeks of gestation are based on clinical estimate.

**Table 13**  
**Induced Abortions Performed in Pennsylvania**  
**by Number of Previous Live Births and Percentage Distribution**  
**January - December 2020**

| <u>Live Births</u> | <u>Number</u> | <u>Percent</u> |
|--------------------|---------------|----------------|
| Zero               | 11,674        | 36.3           |
| One                | 8,349         | 26.0           |
| Two                | 6,726         | 20.9           |
| Three              | 3,306         | 10.3           |
| Four or More       | 2,068         | 6.4            |
| Unknown            | 0             | 0.0            |
| Total              | 32,123        | 100.0          |

**Table 14**  
**Induced Abortions Performed in Pennsylvania**  
**by Number of Previous Induced Abortions and Percentage Distribution**  
**January - December 2020**

| <u>Induced Abortions</u> | <u>Number</u> | <u>Percent</u> |
|--------------------------|---------------|----------------|
| Zero                     | 16,900        | 52.6           |
| One                      | 7,839         | 24.4           |
| Two                      | 3,917         | 12.2           |
| Three                    | 1,756         | 5.5            |
| Four or More             | 1,711         | 5.3            |
| Unknown                  | 0             | 0.0            |
| Total                    | 32,123        | 100.0          |

Note: Percents may not sum to 100 due to rounding.

**Table 15**  
**Induced Abortions Performed in Pennsylvania**  
**by Number of Medical Complications of Pregnancy**  
**January - December 2020**

| <u>Medical Complication</u>   | <u>Number</u> |
|---|---------------|
| Pre-existing Medical Conditions Which<br>Would Complicate Pregnancy | 162           |
| Complication Resulting From Termination                             | 9             |