

INFO

Planned Parenthood in Michigan

The vast majority of our services are essential, life-saving, reproductive health care, including cancer screenings, birth control, prevention and treatment of STDs, breast health services, Pap tests, sexual health education, information, and health counseling.

Patients come to Planned Parenthood most often for birth control, which we make affordable and accessible, regardless of ability to pay. Included in our contraception services is emergency contraception (which can only prevent a pregnancy and does not terminate a pregnancy) and vasectomies.

- 1 in 5 patients comes to us for life-saving cancer screenings, breast exams, and testing and treatment of sexually transmitted diseases, including HIV testing and counseling.
- 1 in 5 women will visit a Planned Parenthood health center in her lifetime.
- The majority (>70%) of Planned Parenthood patients are between 20 and 34 years old
- 44.4% of Michigan's Title X recipients used a Planned Parenthood health center in 2010.*

In these tough economic times, most of our patients are uninsured or qualify for subsidized programs like Title X, Medicaid, and the state-funded Plan First! family planning program (Plan First! is not accepting new applicants). Forty percent of our patients are uninsured. For 75% of our patients in Michigan, an appointment at one of our health centers is the only health care they will receive in a given year.

We're here for moms and dads who might be uncertain about—or just don't know—how to talk to their teens about sex. Planned Parenthood conducts education sessions in schools and communities that include discussions of both abstinence and safe sex. We replace fear with facts, and misinformation with education.

Why We Are Needed

Planned Parenthood's 21 health centers across Michigan provide access to safe, quality, affordable family planning services to 71,000 women and men each year. Family planning is preventative health care and gynecological services, including breast and cervical cancer screenings, sexually transmitted infections testing and treatment, pregnancy testing, HIV testing and counseling, medical referrals, and more. Additionally, some of our health centers offer surgical and medication abortion, prenatal care, ultrasound, vasectomy, and colposcopy.

2014 Patient Statistics for Michigan

71,000	Unduplicated Patients
139,866	Total Patient Visits
16,698	Medicaid Patients
13,157	Plan First! Patients
168,333	Cycles of Birth Control
82,494	Sexually Transmitted Infections Tests
25,688	Pregnancy Testing and Options Counseling
15,588	HIV Testing and Counseling
12,053	Breast Exams
8,892	Pap Tests
1,639	Prenatal Visits
786	Procedures to Identify and Treat Precancerous Conditions of the Cervix
133	Vasectomy Patients

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* United States of America. Michigan Department of Community Health. Family Planning Program. *Michigan Title X Family Planning Annual Report*. By MDCH. 2012. www.michigan.gov/familyplanning.