## **Abortion Statistics**

In the United States of America, there have been up to one million abortions (AB) in a year. The Beltway 8 South Crisis Pregnancy Center was opened in 2004 to help combat these statistics.

	National			Texas
Years	Live Births	AB Rept.	AWR AB Est.	AB Rept.
1909 - 1972	135,128,768	1,314,338		
1973 - 1979	22,763,218	8,080,620	8,080,710	319,235
1980 - 1989	37,507,077	15,736,610	15,736,740	826,281
1990 - 1999	39,902,532	14,306,200	14,300,460	882,819
2000 - 2009	41,407,857	11,215,490	12,367,080	787,756
2010	3,999,386	871,053*	1,102,670	74,959
2011	3,953,590	828,849	1,058,490	70,003
2012	3,952,937	795,764	1,011,000	61,912
2013	3,957,577	759,066	958,700	63,849
2014	3,988,076	736,976	926,190	54,902
2015	3,978,497	680,962	899,500	55,287
2016	3,945,875	677,136	874,080	53,481
2017	3,855,500	674,694	862,320	53,277
2018	3,791,712	675,639	885,800	55,140
2019	3,747,540	738,731	913,600	57,929
2020	3,613,647	723,242	927,300	55,132
2021	3,664,292	666,205	944,300	51,860
2022	3,661,220	453,011	919,400	17,211
2023		119,023	916,300	49
Total	326,819,301	59,182,556	63,684,640	3,541,082

Sources: http://www.johnstonsarchive.net/policy/abortion/ab-unitedstates.html

2023 and prior years have not been updated. 2024 statistics are not currently available

## **Reasons Abortions Performed:**

- 93% are done as elective (see more detail below)
- .3% because of possible fetal health or abnormalities
- 3% due to the mother's health problems or danger to her life
- .1% due to rape or incest

Source: http://www.johnstonsarchive.net/policy/abortion/abreasons.html

## **Reasons Women Choose Abortion:**

- 32% Too young or not ready for responsibility
- 21% Economic
- 16% Avoid Adjusting Life
- 22% Single or in Poor Relationship (includes Pressures from Others)
- 8% Enough Children already
- 1% Sex of Child or Selective Reduction

<sup>&</sup>quot;To fail on this question of abortion will be the failure of the greatest moral test of the century. This could be the last chance for Christians to stop our society from becoming totally secular and humanistic. If Christians do not take this opportunity to lead, I doubt we will get another." Francis Schaeffer