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Pro-Choice Virginia

# 2016-2017 Virginia Legislative Voting Record on Choice

## Your Guide to Virginia Lawmakers' Votes on Reproductive Health and Rights



### 2017 Session at a Glance

4 bills and budget amendments attempting to restrict Virginians' reproductive freedoms were blocked!

1 pro-choice bill passed.

1 anti-choice resolution passed.

10 pro-choice bills and/or budget items were introduced to increase women's access to contraception, repeal the mandatory 24-hour waiting period, repeal TRAP laws, and more.

35 Delegates earned a 100% pro-choice rating.

64 Delegates earned a 50% or lower pro-choice rating.

20 Senators earned a 100% pro-choice rating.

14 Senators earned a 50% or lower pro-choice rating.

Dear Choice Champion,

No one predicted a year like 2017. We didn't expect a President Trump. We didn't expect an upswell in resistance. We didn't expect the nation's eyes to turn to the Commonwealth of Virginia as our elections become a referendum on the extreme Trump agenda. But here we are, and I'm happy to report that we are meeting the challenge.

Victories may be rare right now, but I am so proud of the NARAL Pro-Choice Virginia policy team that introduced and shepherded to passage the first proactive reproductive health care bill to make it through the General Assembly in Virginia in over a decade!

We also co-hosted 200 activists at the Women's Equality Coalition's Lobby Day and led focused pressure campaigns to remind legislators Virginians were watching them as they took votes to defund Planned Parenthood. You will find all the details of this historic victory and the voting records of all 140 General Assembly members in our **2016-2017 Legislative Scorecard**.

Here are a couple of the highlights: HB 2267, patroned by Delegate Eileen Filler-Corn, guarantees Virginia women insurance coverage to pick up a full 12-month supply of birth control at once, when prescribed by a physician. Not only did the bill pass, it passed with overwhelming bipartisan support—proof that we are making progress to change the mindset of staunch anti-reproductive health legislators. And that's not all. This 2017 General Assembly session, pro-choice advocates introduced ten proactive reproductive health and rights bills or amendments, including a bill to align Virginia law with the Supreme Court ruling in *Whole Woman's Health v. Hellerstedt*.

The General Assembly is still dominated by anti-choice majorities. Delegate Ben Cline introduced HB 2264 to defund Planned Parenthood, which passed through the House and Senate despite our sustained resistance before Governor Terry McAuliffe vetoed the bill. The assault on reproductive health continued when Delegate Dave Albo, citing long hours and dismissing pro-choice bills as "liberal politics," refused to even give several proactive repeal bills a hearing.

NARAL Pro-Choice Virginia's scorecard allows us to celebrate progress, but it also holds legislators accountable for their votes against reproductive health and rights – and we plan to do just that come November. With the office of governor, lieutenant governor, and attorney general and the entire House of Delegates up for grabs on November 7<sup>th</sup>, it is once again time for us to go to bat for pro-choice champions. This year we have thrown our full support behind Lt. Gov. Ralph Northam for governor – a proven and unwavering champion for reproductive rights. He will continue to serve as a brick wall in the governor's mansion against attacks on abortion access and to serve as a firewall to the Trump agenda. We will continue working to identify and support reproductive rights champions up and down the ballot.

We're facing a turning point in Virginia. I hope this scorecard motivates you to stay committed in the tough months to come, because we have too much on the line to stop now. Let's continue working together to make reproductive choice both a right and a reality for all Virginia women. Thank you for standing loud and proud for choice!

For Choice,

Tarina Keene  
Executive Director



# 2017 Scored Bills

**Methodology:** The 2017 Voting Record was calculated by percentage, representing the sum of all relevant votes, on the basis of legislators' voting history during the 2017 session. Each vote was weighted equally. In addition, NARAL Pro-Choice Virginia is proud to present our third bi-annual "Term Record," representing the sum of each legislators' total votes during the 2016-2017 legislative sessions. Descriptions of 2017 scored votes are below; 2016 bills can be viewed at <http://bit.ly/2016LegislativeScorecard>.

## Virginia House

- **HB 2267: Insurance Coverage for a 12-Month Supply of Hormonal Contraceptives\***

*Delegate Filler-Corn (D-41)*

HB 2267 ensures that Virginia women's health insurance covers them to receive up to a 12-month supply of prescription contraception at one time, improving health outcomes. The House voted 94-1 and the Senate voted 34-6 to make HB 2267 the first proactive reproductive health bill to pass in Virginia in over a decade! For many women, whether they work long hours or multiple jobs, lack access to reliable transportation, or live in a remote area of the Commonwealth, only receiving 30- or 90-day supplies of their prescription contraception at a time can be an obstacle to continuous and effective use, which leads to an increase in the incidence of unintended pregnancy. One less barrier to reproductive health is a huge victory for Virginia women!

- **HB 2264: Banning Department of Health Contracts with Abortion Providers**

*Delegate Cline (R-24)*

HB 2264 represents a blatant attempt to deny Virginia women access to the full range of comprehensive reproductive health care services. Based on model legislation drafted by a national anti-abortion organization, this bill would have prohibited the Virginia Department of Health from granting funds or entering into contracts with certain health care providers that perform abortion—specifically targeting Planned Parenthood. The bill would cut access to services like contraception, STI testing and treatment, cancer screenings, and abortion to the most medically-underserved Virginians. The bill passed the House of Delegates 62-34 and the Senate 20-19, before Governor Terry McAuliffe vetoed the measure—a reminder that the governor's mansion must remain a brick wall for reproductive rights.

- **HR 268: Day of Tears Resolution**

*Delegate Cline (R-24)*

This resolution designates the anniversary of the January 22, 1973 U.S. Supreme Court decision in *Roe v. Wade* that struck down bans on abortion as the "Day of Tears" in Virginia. The resolution was designed to shame and stigmatize women who've had an abortion and convey that their political leaders don't respect their personal decisions. The House of Delegates passed the measure 57-39.

## Delegate Albo Subverts Democratic Process

Every year, reproductive rights champions in the Virginia General Assembly work with advocates and experts across Virginia to craft commonsense and proactive reproductive rights and health bills. This year, Delegate Boysko introduced HB 2186, *Whole Woman's Health*. It would align Virginia law with the U.S. Supreme Court ruling in *Whole Woman's Health v. Hellerstedt* that restrictions which limit a woman's access to an abortion without providing any medical benefit are unconstitutional. That bill, along with several other proactive bills, never made it to a vote.

Just days before the scheduled hearing, Delegate Dave Albo, chairman of the House Courts of Justice Committee, sent a letter to Del. Boysko saying "the Committee historically kills bills associated with liberal politics" and in order to hear such bills the committee would need to "have a full committee hearing on the weekend." Legislation aimed at repealing unconstitutional laws should never be dismissed as 'liberal politics,' but Del. Albo silenced the testimony of NARAL Pro-Choice Virginia advocates and medical professionals—so he wouldn't have to work overtime.

NARAL Pro-Choice Virginia quickly jumped into action. We held a press conference to condemn Del. Albo's callous dismissal of the democratic process, then launched a series of actions including a protest and grassroots advocacy campaign to hold him accountable. Ultimately, the committee refused to hear the bills, but we made it clear we will not allow important policy issues to be ignored.

\* The bill is pro-choice.

# Virginia Senate

## • SB 877: Repeal of Targeted Regulation of Abortion Providers (TRAP) \*

*Senator Favola (D-31)*

Senator Favola's bill would repeal Virginia's unconstitutional 2011 TRAP law and bring Virginia into compliance with the Supreme Court decision in *Whole Woman's Health v. Hellerstedt*. During the 2011 General Assembly session, legislators added last-minute language to a bill aimed at regulating nursing homes that said "Facilities in which five or more first trimester abortions per month are performed shall be classified as a category of 'hospital.'" This statute singled out first-trimester abortion providers for burdensome, medically-irrelevant hospital-level regulation. The intention was clear – anti-choice legislators hoped to create enough roadblocks for abortion clinics that they would be forced to close.

## •SB 1424: Restoring Dignity to Informed Consent\*

*Senator Locke (D-2)*

SB 1424 and its companion bill HB 2286 would give patients back their right to accurate, un-politicized informed consent by allowing them to waive non-medical, ideological, and medically-unnecessary state requirements before having an abortion. Virginia law currently requires physicians to communicate biased, state-written information to their abortion patients, perform medically-unnecessary diagnostic testing, and to force women to wait 24 hours for abortion care. State-written speeches and mandatory waiting periods serve one purpose: to shame and pressure women and make the process of obtaining an abortion as cost- and time-prohibitive as possible.

## •SB 1549: Whole Woman's Health Act \*

*Senator Wexton (D-33)*

The Whole Woman's Health Act would codify the legal precedent set by the U.S. Supreme Court in its 2016 decision on *Whole Woman's Health v. Hellerstedt*, where the court ruled that any statute which places a burden on a woman's access to abortion without conferring any legitimate health benefit is unenforceable. Senator Wexton's bill would have repealed portions of the Virginia code that place an undue burden on a woman's access to abortion without providing any legitimate benefits to her health – including mandatory ultrasounds, forced delay procedures, and regulating first trimester abortion facilities as a category of hospital. The bill was passed over indefinitely in the Committee on Education and Health.

*The balance for  
CHOICE  
in Richmond:*

100% pro-choice legislators:

52

Mixed-choice & anti-choice  
legislators:

88

## Virginia House Budget Amendments

### Budget Amendments 405.04 #3h and 295 #2h

This year the House of Delegates voted on two budget amendments that would affect reproductive health access in Virginia. Introduced by the House Appropriations Committee, 295 #2h eliminated the entire \$6 million appropriation proposed by the governor to develop a pilot program for expanding education and access to long-acting reversible contraceptives (LARCs) like IUDs to uninsured women. 4-5.04 #3h, introduced yet again by Delegate Marshall, would strip abortion coverage for Medicaid-eligible women in cases of severe fetal anomaly. We pushed back hard, and managed to prevent Del. Marshall's draconian amendment from making its way into the final budget. Unfortunately, the budget conferees did eliminate LARC funding because of ideological opposition from anti birth control groups like the Family Foundation of Virginia and the Virginia Catholic Conference.

See how your legislators scored!

\* The bill is pro-choice.

# Virginia Senate

Member Name	District	HB 2264: Defund Planned Parenthood	HB 2267: 12 Months Birth Control <sup>1</sup> *	2016 Score	2017 Score	2016-2017 Term Record
Monty Mason	1	N	Y	N/A	100%	100%
Mamie E. Locke	2	N	Y	100%	100%	100%
Thomas K. Norment, Jr.	3	not voting	Y	0%	100%	50%
Ryan T. McDougale <sup>1</sup>	4	Y	Y	0%	66%	33%
Lionell Spruill, Sr.	5	N	Y	N/A	100%	100%
Lynwood W. Lewis, Jr.	6	N	Y	100%	100%	100%
Frank W. Wagner <sup>1</sup>	7	Y	Y	0%	66%	33%
William R. DeSteph, Jr.	8	Y	N	0%	0%	0%
Jennifer L. McClellan	9	N	Y	N/A	100%	100%
Glen H. Sturtevant, Jr. <sup>1</sup>	10	Y	Y	0%	66%	33%
Amanda Chase <sup>1</sup>	11	Y	Y	0%	17%	9%
Siobhan Dunnivant <sup>1</sup>	12	Y	N	0%	0%	0%
Richard H. Black <sup>1</sup>	13	Y	Y	0%	14%	7%
John A. Cosgrove, Jr. <sup>1</sup>	14	Y	Y	0%	29%	15%
Frank M. Ruff, Jr.	15	Y	Y	0%	50%	25%
Rosalyn R. Dance <sup>1</sup>	16	N	Y	100%	100%	100%
Bryce E. Reeves	17	Y	N	0%	0%	0%
L. Louise Lucas	18	N	Y	100%	100%	100%
David R. Suetterlein	19	Y	N	0%	0%	0%
William M. Stanley, Jr.	20	Y	N	0%	33%	17%
John S. Edwards	21	N	Y	100%	100%	100%
Mark J. Peake <sup>1</sup>	22	Y	Y	N/A	17%	17%
Stephen D. Newman	23	Y	N	0%	14%	7%
Emmett W. Hanger, Jr.	24	Y	Y	0%	50%	25%
R. Creigh Deeds	25	N	Y	100%	100%	100%
Mark D. Obenshain <sup>1</sup>	26	Y	Y	0%	67%	34%
Jill Holtzman Vogel	27	Y	Y	0%	50%	25%
Richard H. Stuart <sup>1</sup>	28	Y	Y	0%	67%	34%
Jeremy S. McPike	29	N	Y	100%	100%	100%
Adam P. Ebbin	30	N	Y	100%	100%	100%
Barbara A. Favola	31	N	Y	100%	100%	100%
Janet D. Howell	32	N	Y	100%	100%	100%
Jennifer T. Wexton	33	N	Y	100%	100%	100%
J. Chapman Petersen	34	N	Y	100%	100%	100%
Richard L. Saslaw	35	N	Y	100%	100%	100%
Scott A. Surovell	36	N	Y	100%	100%	100%
David W. Marsden	37	N	Y	100%	100%	100%
Benton Chafin, Jr.	38	Y	Y	0%	67%	34%
George L. Barker	39	N	Y	75%	100%	88%
Charles W. Carrico, Sr.	40	Y	Y	0%	17%	9%

for a pilot program to expand education and access to long acting reversible contraceptives like IUDs. The Senate vote count is publicly unavailable and was not included in our score. The vote count for the House version of that budget amendment and the amendment to eliminate funding for women on Medicaid seeking an abortion due to severe fetal anomaly was counted and included in the final score.

<sup>1</sup>Sits on Education & Health and/or Commerce & Labor Committees and has additional scored votes (see reverse side)

\*This is a pro-choice bill. Accordingly, a yes vote is a pro-choice vote.

# Virginia Senate

## Senate Education and Health Committee

Member Name	District	SB 877: TRAP Repeal*	SB 1424: Dignity to Consent*	SB 1549: Whole Woman's Health*	HB 2264: Defund Planned Parenthood	2017 Voting Record
Mamie E. Locke	2	N	N	N	N	100%
Lynwood W. Lewis, Jr.	6	N	N	N	N	100%
Amanda Chase	11	Y	Y	Y	Y	17%
Siobhan Dunnivant	12	Y	Y	Y	Y	0%
Richard H. Black	13	Y	Y	Y	Y	14%
John A. Cosgrove, Jr.	14	Y	Y	Y	Y	29%
Louise Lucas	18	N	N	N	N	100%
David R. Suetterlein	19	Y	Y	Y	Y	0%
Mark J. Peake	22	Y	Y	Y	Y	17%
Stephen D. Newman	23	Y	Y	Y	Y	17%
Janet D. Howell	32	N	N	N	N	100%
J. Chapman Petersen	34	N	N	N	N	100%
Richard L. Saslaw	35	N	N	N	N	100%
George L. Barker	39	N	N	N	N	100%
Charles W. Carrico, Sr.	40	Y	Y	Y	Y	17%

\*SB 877, SB 1424, and SB 1549 were all pro-choice bills; however the scored vote was whether or not to "pass by indefinitely" and defeat the bill. Accordingly, a 'yes' vote by a committee member reflected a vote to defeat the bill and is anti-choice.

## Senate Commerce and Labor Committee

Member Name	District	HB 2267: 12 Mo. Birth control	2017 Voting Record
Thomas K. Norment, Jr.	3	Y	100%
Ryan T. McDougle	4	Y	66%
Lionell Spruill, Jr.	5	Y	100%
Frank W. Wagner	7	Y	66%
Glen H. Sturtevant, Jr.	10	Y	66%
Richard H. Black	13	N	14%
John A. Cosgrove, Jr.	14	Y	29%
Rosalyn R. Dance	16	Y	100%
Louise Lucas	18	Y	100%
William M. Stanley, Jr.	20	Y	33%
Stephen D. Newman	23	Y	14%
Mark D. Obenshain	26	Y	34%
Richard H. Stuart	28	Y	67%
Richard L. Saslaw	35	Y	100%

# Virginia House

Delegate	District	HB 2267 12 Mo. Birth Control*	HB 2264: Defund Planned Parenthood	HR 268: Day of Tears	2017 Score	2016-2017 Term Record
Terry Kilgore	1	Y	Y	Y	29%	15%
Mark Dudenhefer	2	Y	Y	N	40%	20%
James Morefield	3	not voting	not voting	Y	0%	0%
Todd Pillion	4	Y	Y	Y	20%	10%
Israel O'Quinn	5	Y	Y	Y	33%	17%
Jeffrey Campbell	6	Y	Y	Y	20%	10%
Nick Rush	7	Y	Y	Y	20%	10%
Gregory Habeeb	8	Y	Y	Y	29%	15%
Charles Poindexter	9	not voting	Y	Y	0%	0%
Randall Minchew	10	Y	Y	Y	25%	13%
Sam Rasoul	11	Y	N	N	100%	100%
Joseph Yost	12	Y	N	N	100%	50%
Robert Marshall	13	N	Y	Y	0%	0%
Daniel Marshall, III	14	Y	Y	Y	33%	17%
Todd Gilbert	15	Y	Y	Y	20%	10%
Leslie Adams	16	Y	Y	Y	20%	10%
Christopher Head	17	Y	Y	Y	17%	9%
Michael Webert	18	Y	Y	Y	20%	10%
Terry Austin	19	Y	Y	Y	20%	10%
Richard Bell	20	Y	Y	Y	17%	9%
Ronald Villanueva	21	Y	Y	Y	33%	17%
Kathy Byron	22	Y	Y	Y	33%	17%
Scott Garrett	23	Y	Y	Y	17%	9%
Benjamin Cline	24	Y	Y	Y	33%	17%
Steven Landes	25	Y	Y	Y	17%	9%
Tony Wilt	26	Y	Y	Y	20%	10%
Roxann Robinson	27	Y	Y	Y	17%	9%
William Howell	28	Y	Y	Y	20%	10%
Christopher Collins	29	Y	Y	Y	20%	10%
Nicholas Freitas	30	not voting	Y	Y	0%	0%
Scott Lingamfelter	31	Y	Y	Y	20%	10%
Tag Greason	32	Y	Y	Y	25%	13%
David LaRock	33	Y	Y	Y	20%	10%
Kathleen Murphy	34	Y	N	N	100%	100%
Mark Keam	35	Y	N	N	100%	100%
Kenneth Plum	36	Y	N	N	100%	100%
David Bulova	37	Y	N	N	100%	100%
Kaye Kory	38	Y	N	N	100%	100%
Vivian Watts	39	Y	N	N	100%	100%
Timothy Hugo	40	Y	Y	Y	33%	18%
Eileen Filler-Corn	41	Y	N	N	100%	100%
David Albo	42	Y	Y	not voting	25%	13%
Mark Sickles	43	Y	N	N	100%	100%
Paul Krizek	44	Y	N	N	100%	100%
Mark Levine	45	Y	N	N	100%	100%
Charniele Herring	46	Y	N	N	100%	100%
Patrick Hope	47	Y	N	N	100%	100%
Rip Sullivan, Jr.	48	Y	N	N	100%	100%
Alfonso Lopez	49	Y	N	N	100%	100%
Jackson Miller	50	Y	Y	Y	33%	18%

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# Virginia House

Delegate	District	HB 2267: 12 Mo. Birth Control*	HB 2264: Defund Planned Parenthood	HR 268: Day of Tears	2017 Score	2016-2017 Term Record
Richard Anderson	51	Y	Y	Y	20%	10%
Luke Torian	52	Y	N	N	100%	100%
Marcus Simon	53	Y	N	N	100%	100%
Robert Orrock, Sr.	54	Y	Y	Y	14%	7%
Buddy Fowler, Jr.	55	Y	Y	Y	20%	10%
Peter Farrell	56	Y	Y	Y	29%	15%
David Toscano	57	Y	N	N	100%	100%
Robert Bell	58	Y	Y	Y	29%	15%
Matthew Fariss	59	not voting	not voting	Y	0%	0%
James Edmunds, II	60	Y	Y	Y	20%	10%
Thomas Wright, Jr.	61	Y	Y	Y	20%	10%
Riley Ingram	62	Y	Y	Y	17%	9%
Lashrece Aird	63	Y	N	N	100%	100%
Richard Morris	64	Y	Y	Y	17%	9%
Lee Ware	65	Y	Y	Y	29%	15%
Kirkland Cox	66	Y	Y	Y	20%	10%
James LeMunyon	67	Y	Y	N	20%	10%
Manoli Loupassi	68	Y	Y	not voting	50%	25%
Betsy Carr	69	Y	N	N	100%	100%
Delores McQuinn	70	Y	N	N	100%	100%
Jeffrey Bourne	71	Y	not voting	not voting	100%	100%
Jimmie Massie, III	72	Y	Y	Y	17%	9%
John O'Bannon	73	Y	Y	Y	29%	15%
Lamont Bagby	74	Y	N	N	100%	100%
Roslyn Tyler	75	Y	N	N	100%	100%
Chris Jones	76	Y	Y	Y	17%	9%
Cliff Hayes	77	Y	N	N	100%	100%
Jay Leftwich, Jr.	78	Y	Y	Y	20%	10%
Stephen Heretick	79	Y	N	N	100%	100%
Matthew James	80	Y	N	N	100%	100%
Barry Knight	81	Y	Y	Y	17%	9%
Jason Miyares	82	Y	Y	Y	20%	10%
Christopher Stolle	83	Y	Y	N	33%	17%
Glenn Davis, Jr.	84	Y	Y	Y	20%	10%
Rocky Holcomb, II	85	Y	Y	Y	20%	20%
Jennifer Boysko	86	Y	N	N	100%	100%
John Bell	87	Y	N	N	100%	100%
Mark Cole	88	Y	Y	Y	20%	10%
Daun Hester	89	Y	N	N	100%	100%
Joseph Lindsey	90	Y	N	N	100%	100%
Gordon Helsel, Jr.	91	Y	Y	Y	17%	9%
Jeion Ward	92	Y	N	N	100%	100%
Michael Mullin	93	Y	N	N	100%	100%
David Yancey	94	Y	not voting	not voting	67%	34%
Marcia Price	95	Y	N	N	100%	100%
Brenda Pogge	96	Y	Y	Y	20%	10%
Christopher Peace	97	Y	Y	N	50%	25%
Keith Hodges	98	Y	Y	Y	17%	9%
Margaret Ransone	99	Y	Y	Y	33%	17%
Robert Bloxom, Jr.	100	Y	Y	Y	20%	10%

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# The Power of the Veto

## How Virginia's Governor Shapes Reproductive Health

For the past two years, Delegate Ben Cline has introduced a bill to defund Planned Parenthood, and for the past two years, Governor Terry McAuliffe has publicly and proudly vetoed the bill. "It's important for women to have access to quality health care," he said. "This is what matters to Virginia families today."

Since we helped elect him in 2013, we have known we can count on Governor McAuliffe to be a "brick wall" against attacks on reproductive health and freedom. And these past four years, we've stopped some dangerous legislation with the governor's help. In 2017 alone, multiple anti-choice bills, including a 20-week abortion ban, never made it to a vote because legislators knew Governor McAuliffe would veto the bills. That's the power of the veto – and a reminder that often, the governor's pen is the only thing standing between Virginia women and the anti-choice forces working to dismantle abortion and reproductive health care access in the Commonwealth.

Without a reproductive health champion in the governor's mansion, Planned Parenthood would be defunded in Virginia. Abortion could be criminalized at 20 weeks. Legislators could pile regulations, waiting periods, and additional requirements on already overburdened women's health clinics. That's why we MUST elect another defender of women's health as governor this November. Lieutenant Governor Ralph Northam is that leader. Throughout his career, Dr. Northam has proven himself to be an informed and dedicated champion for reproductive health. His record makes clear that he trusts a woman to make her own decisions about when and if to have a child – and he's held that stance even when it wasn't politically expedient.

We know Dr. Northam will be a brick wall in the governor's mansion against bills that threaten a woman's reproductive health and freedom. We look forward to working with him in the months and years to come.

## The State of Reproductive Health in Virginia

**ABORTION RESTRICTIONS:** There are far more state restrictions on abortion on the books today than there were in 1973 after *Roe v. Wade*. These laws, designed to put up roadblocks to accessing abortion and to shame and pressure women, include:

- State-written biased counseling materials doctors must give women
- Requiring a mandatory ultrasound followed by a forced 24-hour delay before a woman can have an abortion
- Bans on abortion insurance coverage for Medicaid recipients, state employees, and plans purchased through the health care marketplace
- Singling out women's health centers that provide abortion for burdensome hospital-style regulations designed to shut them down

**LACK OF ACCESS:** There are currently only 14 women's health centers providing first-trimester abortion services in Virginia. Approximately 54% of Virginia women live in one of the 92% of Virginia cities or counties that do not have such a provider.

**Virginia's Status**  
**Severely**  
**Restricted**

**MISINFORMATION:** Abortion providers in Virginia are outnumbered by over 50 "crisis pregnancy centers," anti-choice groups that push misinformation about abortion and birth control, often while portraying themselves as unbiased resource centers or health care facilities.

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