LIST OF FACILITIES WHERE ABORTION IS PERFORMED	DISTRICT	PHONE NUMBER
GPN - KOCH, Súkromná gynekologicko-pôrodnícka nemocnica	Bratislava I.	004212/54640061 004212/43631709
Univerzitná nemocnica Bratislava - Ružinov	Bratislava II	004212/48236764
Interklinik (GYN) s.r.o.	Bratislava V.	00421 268 230 950
Univerzitná nemocnica Bratislava sv. Cyrila a Metoda - Antolská	Bratislava V.	004212/68672619
Súkromná klinika jednodňovej chirurgie Mediklinik, Bratislava	Senec	00421 915 547 097
Nemocnica s poliklinikou Dunajská Streda a.s.	Dunajská Streda	0042131/5571324
Nemocnica Alexandra Wintera, Piešťany	Piešťany	0042133/7955240
Nemocnica s poliklinikou Ilava	llava	0042142/4667224
Nemocnica s poliklinikou Myjava	Myjava	0042134/6979154
Nsp Prievidza, so sídlom v Bojniciach	Bojnice	0042146/5112247
Fakultná nemocnica Trenčín	Trenčín	0042132/6566240
Nemocnica AGEL Komárno a.s.	Komárno	00421 357 907 133
Súkromná klinika jednodňovej chirurgie Mediklinik	Levice	00421 903 463 425
Nemocnica AGEL Levice s.r.o.	Levice	00421 366 379 631
Fakultná nemocnica Nitra	Nitra	0042137/6545303
Nemocnica Topoľčany a.s.	Topoľčany	00421 383 824 473
Liptovská nemocnica s poliklinikou MUDr. Ivana Stodolu Liptovský Mikuláš	Litovský Mikuláš	0042144/5563291
Univerzitná nemocnica Martin	Martin	0042143/4203591
Fakultná nemocnica s poliklinikou Žilina	Žilina	0042141/5110376
Fakultná nemocnica s poliklinikou F.D.Roosvelta	Banská Bystrica	0042148/4411111
Nemocnica Agel Zvolen	Zvolen	0042145/5201664
Všeobecnej nemocnice s poliklinikou Lučenec n.o.	Lučenec	0042147/4311627
Nemocnica Poprad a.s.	Poprad	0042152/7125426
Nemocnica s poliklinikou Štefana Kukuru Michalovce a.s.	Michalovce	0042156/6416819
Nemocnica s poliklinikou sv. Barbory Rožňava	Rožňava	0042158/7771239
Nemocnica s poliklinikou Spišská Nová Ves	Spišská Nová Ves	0042153/4199379
Nemocnica Agel Košice-Šaca a.s.	Košice	0042155/7234 214
Univerzitná nemocnica L. Pasteura Košice	Košice	0042155/6403617
Bratislavský kraj Nitriansky Trnavský Žiliský Trenčiansky Banskobystrický	Prešovský Košický	



All women, girls and people with a uterus have the right to decide freely whether and when they will have children. Related to this is the right to access to abortion provided with respect and dignity. No one may expose them to harmful actions or pressure them to change their decisions. Only they know best what to do and what their life circumstances are.

Safe abortion services must be provided in a way that respects the dignity of pregnant people, guarantees their right to privacy and is sensitive to their needs.





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### **FACTS ABOUT ABORTION**



These facts are based on the findings and claims of authorities such as the World Health Organization (WHO) and the International Federation of Gynecology and Obstetrics (FIGO) and the Royal College of Obstetricians and Gynecologists of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland.

#### **Security**

Abortion is one of the safest medical procedures, if performed correctly by a trained staff, using the right medical practices and medications and in hygienic conditions. Abortions without health reasons, performed properly and during the first trimester, are in fact safer than childbirth. Most women, and other people who undergo a properly performed abortion will not suffer any long-term consequences for their health and reproductive health.

# Abortion does not increase the risk of breast cancer

The WHO emphasizes that validated data does not indicate an increased risk of breast cancer after miscarriage or abortion.

# An abortion that was carried out without complications does not reduce your chances of getting pregnant in the future.

There is no proven link between abortion and subsequent infertility. Research shows that a properly performed abortion without complications does not lead to infertility.



#### **MENTAL HEALTH**

Abortions do not cause serious mental problems. Negative psychological consequences occur in only a very small number of people and are rather a continuation of pre-existing mental health problems. For most women, girls and other people, the decision to have an abortion is not easy. Your response will depend on your situation at the time of the abortion. You may feel relieved or sad. These emotions can alternate in different phases. However, most people do not have long-term emotional problems. People who have unintentionally become pregnant and had previously experienced mental health problems should know that these problems can persist regardless of whether they choose to abort or continue the pregnancy. In case of problems, seek medical help or contact one of the helplines.

In case you have experienced sexual violence, you can call crisis number 00421800 212 212

Svetová zdravotnícka organizácia (WHO, 2012), Safe Abortion: Technical and Policy Guidance for Health Systems /Bezpečné interrupcie: Technické a politické usmernenie pre systémy zdravotnej starostlivosti; FIGO (2015) Committee for the Study of Ethical Aspects of Human Reproduction and Women's Health, Ethical Issues in Obstretrics and Gynecology; Kráľovská akadémia pôrodníkov a gynekológov Spojeného kráľovstva Veľkej Británie a Severného Írska The Care of Women Requesting Induced Abortion: Evidence-Based Clinical Guideline Number 7/Starostlivosť o ženy, ktoré žiadajú o umelé prerušenie tehotenstva: na dôkazoch založený klinický postup č. 7) (2011).

## PRACTICAL INFORMATION



#### TIME IS AN IMPORTANT FACTOR

In Slovakia, you have the opportunity to undergo an abortion on request or for health reasons until the 12th week of pregnancy. In the later period (after the 12th week), the abortion is only possible if the woman's life is in danger, if the fetus is unable to live or is severely damaged. The beginning of pregnancy is counted from the first day of the last period. That means in reality you have less time than 12 weeks. Also expect to have to wait a 48-hour compulsory waiting period after being counselled by a doctor and before the abortion itself. This restriction can cause, that you will not manage to get an abortion on time, so take it into account in advance.



#### **GIRLS UNDER THE AGE OF 18**

Girls under the age of 16 the consent of their parent or legal guardian. Parents of girls between the ages of 16 and 18 will be notified by the medical facility.



#### THE PRICE

According to our research, the average price with additional fees is 414 euros (from 250 to 600e). The price can be increased for example by fees for health examinations or application fee. Therefore, please ask about the total costs in advance