

FAMILY HEALTH CENTERS PROFILE 2024

WASHINGTON STATE SEXUAL & REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH NETWORK

Family Health Centers receives funding devoted solely to sexual and reproductive health and related preventive health services with a focus on low-income and uninsured persons. Funding supports a variety of services, including FDA– approved birth control, STI/HIV testing, breast and pelvic exams, Pap smears and other cancer screenings, pregnancy testing and counseling, achieving pregnancy, and pre-pregnancy health. Family Health Centers works with Washington State Department of Health to assure quality and affordable sexual and reproductive health services at its clinics in Okanogan County.

In 2024, Family Health Centers served 1,012 clients during 1,455 clinic visits, representing an 12% decrease in clients and a 8% decrease in clinic visits from 2023. Across the state, an estimated 71% of female clients of reproductive age served in 2024 were on some form of contraceptive method, resulting in a lower risk of unintended pregnancy, unplanned births, and abortions.

Family Health Centers Served 1,012 clients in 2024

	2024		2023	
	Count	% of total	Count	% of total
Total	1,012	100%	1,151	100%
Male	71	7%	106	9%
Female	941	93%	1,045	91%
Females of reproductive age (15-44)	850	84%	948	82%
Hispanic	430	51%	474	50%
Non Hispanic:				
American Indian/Alaskan Native	44	5%	40	4%
Asian	**	**%	**	**%
Black or African American	**	**%	12	1%
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	**	**%	**	**%
White	327	38%	366	39%
More than one race	37	4%	43	5%
Primary Contraception Method of Reproductive Age (15-44) Female Clients	850	100%	948	100%
No method*	249	29%	294	31%
Female Sterilization	0	0%	0	0%
Progesterone-Only Pills (POPs)	0	0%	0	0%
Combined Hormonals	207	24%	211	22%
IUD/Implant	192	23%	192	20%
Barriers	58	7%	69	7%
Emergency Contraception (EC)	10	1%	0	0%
Hormonal Injection	107	13%	109	12%

* No method includes female clients 15-44 years who were pregnant or seeking pregnancy and those who reported no method.

Primary Contraception Method of Male Clients	71	100%	106	100%
Male condom	24	34%	26	25%
Vasectomy	0	0%	**	**%



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Sexual & reproductive services provided by Family Health Centers prevented an estimated* 200 unintended pregnancies and 70 abortions, and saved over \$1 million in health care costs in 2024 alone.

Family Health Centers' family planning services averted unwanted reproductive health outcomes and saved healthcare-related expenses by providing contraceptive services, testing and treatment for sexually transmitted infections, and prevention of certain cancers, like breast and cervical cancer. Most notably, in 2024 the agency's services prevented an estimated 200 unintended pregnancies, 100 unplanned births, and 70 abortions resulting in net savings of over \$1 million associated with maternal and birth-related care, miscarriages, ectopic pregnancies, and abortions averted.

Estimate of unwanted outcomes and health expenditures prevented by Family Health Centers' sexual & reproductive health services, 2024

Unintended pregnancies	200
Unplanned births	100
Abortions	70
Miscarriages following unintended pregnancies prevented	40
Maternal & birth-related gross costs saved from contraceptive services	\$1,340,630
Miscarriage & ectopic pregnancy gross costs saved	\$42,590
Chlamydia infections	**
Gonorrhea infections	**
HIV Infections	**
Gross costs saved from STI testing	\$4,620
Gross costs saved from Pap and HPV testing & vaccinations	\$1,220
Total gross savings	\$1,389,060
Total family planning costs	\$323,680
Total net savings	\$1,065,380

**Estimates are based on Washington State sexual and reproductive health clinic visit record data and formulas from Guttmacher Institute (Frost JJ et al., Return on investment: A fuller assessment of the benefits and cost savings of the US publicly funded family planning program, The Milbank Quarterly, 2014, <<http://onlinelibrary.wiley.com/enhanced/doi/10.1111/1468-0009.12080>>.)*

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Data sources: (1) Washington State Clinic Visit Record data 2023, 2024; (2) Guttmacher Institute Data Center. Estimates retrieved from <https://data.guttmacher.org/calculator> on 03/12/2025.

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