

PLANNED PARENTHOOD COLUMBIA WILLAMETTE PROFILE 2024

WASHINGTON STATE SEXUAL & REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH NETWORK

Planned Parenthood Columbia Willamette (PPCW)) 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. PPCW works with Washington State Department of Health to assure quality and affordable sexual and reproductive health services at its clinic in Clark County.

In 2024, PPCW served 3,242 clients during 4,308 clinic visits, representing a 37% decrease in the number of clients and a 40% decrease in clinic visits compared to 2023. Across the state, an estimated 75% 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.

PPCW served 3,242 clients in 2024

	2024		2023	
	Count	% of total	Count	% of total
Total	3,242	100%	5,168	100%
Male	174	5%	864	17%
Female	3,068	95%	4,304	83%
Females of reproductive age (15-44)	2,984	92%	4,163	81%
Hispanic	808	27%	1,109	27%
Non Hispanic:				
American Indian/Alaskan Native	32	1%	37	>1%
Asian	110	4%	57	1%
Black or African American	151	5%	197	5%
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	49	2%	**	**%
White	1,655	55%	2,415	58%
More than one race	179	6%	343	8%
Primary Contraception Method of Reproductive Age (15-44) Female Clients	2,984	100%	4,163	100%
No method*	744	25%	845	20%
Female Sterilization	0	0%	**	**%
Progesterone-Only Pills (POPs)	83	3%	0	0%
Combined Hormonals	643	22%	1,015	24%
IUD/Implant	696	23%	828	20%
Barriers	420	14%	743	18%
Emergency Contraception (EC)	0	0%	0	0%
Hormonal Injection	288	10%	339	8%

* 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	174	100%	864	100%
Male Condom	101	58%	435	50%
Vasectomy	13	7%	11	1%



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Sexual & reproductive health services provided by PPCW prevented an estimated* 660 unintended pregnancies and 220 abortions, and saved over \$3.4M in health care costs in 2024 alone.

PPCW's sexual and reproductive health 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 660 unintended pregnancies, 310 unplanned births, and 220 abortions resulting in net savings of over \$3.4 million associated with maternal and birth-related care, miscarriages, ectopic pregnancies, and abortions averted.

Estimate of unwanted outcomes and health expenditures prevented by PPCW family planning services, 2024

Unintended pregnancies	660
Unplanned births	310
Abortions	220
Miscarriages following unintended pregnancies prevented	130
Maternal & birth-related gross costs saved from contraceptive services	\$4,370,940
Miscarriage & ectopic pregnancy gross costs saved	\$138,860
Chlamydia infections	30
Gonorrhea infections	**
HIV Infections	**
Gross costs saved from STI testing	\$24,160
Gross costs saved from Pap and HPV testing & vaccinations	**
Total gross savings	\$4,533,960
Total family planning costs	\$1,055,310
Total net savings	\$3,478,650

**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>>.)*

**** Unable to report due to small numbers**

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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