

PLANNED PARENTHOOD COLUMBIA WILLAMETTE PROFILE 2022

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. Funds support services such as breast and pelvic exams, Pap smears and other cancer screenings, STI/HIV testing, pregnancy testing and counseling, and affordable birth control, including long-acting reversible contraception (LARC). 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 2022, PPCW served 4,582 clients during 5,866 clinic visits, representing a 23% increase in the number of clients and a 24% increase in clinic visits compared to 2021. An estimated 82% of female clients of reproductive age served in 2022 were on some form of contraceptive method resulting in a lower risk of unintended pregnancy, unplanned births, and abortions.

PPCW served 4,582 clients in 2022

	2022		2021	
	Count	% of total	Count	% of total
Total	4,582	100%	3,734	100%
Male	427	9%	338	9%
Female	4,155	91%	3,396	91%
- reproductive age (15-44 yrs)	4,043	88%	3,299	88%
Non Hispanic				
- White	2,703	59%	2,233	60%
- African American	217	5%	166	4%
- American Indian/Alaska Native	48	1%	41	1%
- Asian, Native Hawaiian/Pacific Isl.	174	4%	149	7%
Hispanic	1,136	25%	859	23%

An estimated 82%* of PPCW's female reproductive age clients used contraception

	2022		2021	
	Count	% of total	Count	% of total
No method	716	18%	488	15%
Combined hormonal methods	1,109	27%	982	30%
3-month hormonal injection	379	9%	373	11%
LARC	1,115	28%	940	28%
Barrier	567	14%	373	11%
Other methods	157	4%	145	4%

* The remaining 18% includes female clients 15-44 years who were pregnant or seeking pregnancy and those who were not on any method.



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Sexual & reproductive health services provided by PPCW prevented an estimated* 710 unintended pregnancies and 240 abortions, and saved over \$3.7M in health care costs in 2022 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 vaccination against HPV to prevent cervical cancer. Most notably, in 2022 the agency's services prevented an estimated 710 unintended pregnancies, 340 unplanned births, and 240 abortions resulting in net savings of over \$3.7 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, 2022

Unintended pregnancies	710
Unplanned births	340
Abortions	240
Miscarriages following unintended pregnancies prevented	140
Maternal & birth-related gross costs saved from contraceptive services	\$4,739,940
Miscarriage & ectopic pregnancy gross costs saved	\$150,580
Chlamydia infections	10
Gonorrhea infections	**
HIV Infections	**
Gross costs saved from STI testing	\$34,410
Gross costs saved from Pap and HPV testing & vaccinations	\$5,230
Total gross savings	\$4,930,150
Total family planning costs	\$1,144,400
Total net savings	\$3,785,760

*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 2022, 2021; (2) Guttmacher Institute Data Center. Estimates retrieved from <https://data.guttmacher.org/calculator> on 03/4/2023

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