

## Planned Parenthood is Not about Women's Health

Even though Planned Parenthood is currently under investigation for double billing Medicaid, PP is now being paid **more than \$650,000 as "Obamacare Navigators"** to push both women and men to sign up for Obamacare.

Since the Affordable Care Act has full abortion coverage, PP stands to make hundreds of millions more dollars nationally in payment for abortions.

This puts the federal government and U.S. taxpayers in the same dirty bed as Planned Parenthood.

For instance, in many school districts across the nation – using tax-payer dollars – PP promotes comprehensive sex education which endorses promiscuity, and carcinogenic contraception use, along with inappropriate relationships and abortion.

Young children into their teen years are taught that sexual experimentation is perfectly safe and acceptable so long as **they use condoms and take a form of hormonal birth control.**

Now, as Obamacare Navigators, the more women enrolled in Obamacare, the more PP can charge the government and taxpayers for "servicing" them.

**Already getting more that \$542 million dollars in taxpayer funds every year PP boasts a profit well over \$100 million dollars!**

Excerpts: Hawkins, Kristan; "PP Isn't About Women's Health..."; LifeNews; 1 October 13

## Faith Challenge

No matter how alone you might feel in what you are going through, God is faithful. You are never alone.

When in crisis, instead of crying, "Why?!" why not give "What would you have me do with this, Lord" a try?

## 40 Days for Life - Day 16

Devotional by Rev. John Ensor,  
President, PassionLife – October 10, 2013

"You have twins. That will be another \$350."

She did not speak English, but she finally understood that they were telling her to go get more money and return for her abortion.

She had already given them her rent money. **But they were not about to give her a two-for-one deal.** They told her to get dressed and return with more cash.

A couple who was praying outside the clinic comforted her and brought her to their local pregnancy help center.

The staff quickly saw that her personal circumstances were so desperate and immediate that they would need direct and ongoing help from local Christians and churches. They started making calls.

Then they did an ultrasound. It showed there was only one baby, not two. This abandoned, immigrant, powerless mother was being exploited.

She would [have done] whatever she was told to do. Who would know? Who would care?

**When you [we] provide an alternative to abortion, you [we] are not only rescuing innocent babies, you [we] are delivering mothers from the wicked: those who profit in the shedding of innocent blood.**

## Race-Based Abortions

A federal court dismissed a lawsuit brought by the NAACP and ACLU against the Arizona bill prohibiting gender- and race-based abortions.

For every 100 live births in the African American community, another 77 are aborted. The African American abortion rate is 41 per 1,000 girls in the 15-19 year-old age group. The national average for that age group is **18 per 1,000.**

Excerpts: Ertelt, S; "Judge Tosses..." LifeNews; 4 October 13

## The President's Corner

The benefits of the closing of the Planned Parenthood facility (one of two) in Colorado Springs have been minimized by some people. "Abortion minded clients can simply go to the other facility," they say.

However, national statistics indicate that the number of abortions drop in the area around an abortion facility that closes. Potential clients do not necessarily go any further for an abortion.

So what do these potential clients who do not drive further for an abortion actually do? Obviously they must consider other "choices," adoption or keeping and loving their baby.

In other words, when the pressure and convenience to choose the sad choice of abortion is reduced, abortion-minded clients are more likely to actually consider the other choices available, choices that are much better than ending the life of their child and possibly inflicting harm on the mother.

Consequently, since "choice" is so important in our society, everyone should agree that we must close the remaining Planned Parenthood in Colorado Springs! Very simply, "choice" demands it!

*Matt*

### From Pro-Choice to Pro-Life

Kristen Walker Hatten, Vice President of *New Wave Feminists*, tells her story of becoming pro-life.

"I was pro-choice by default, for the same reason I was politically liberal. It was the easy position, the one I absorbed from the media, pop culture, and other kids."

"There's a saying: "If you're not a liberal at 20, you have no heart. If you're still a liberal at 40, you have no brain."

"Liberalism is obvious to children, because the most obvious way to help people is to give them stuff and be "nice" to them."

When she read a book by David Mamet, one statement stopped her in her tracks. "Kindness to the wicked is cruelty to the righteous."

Becoming pro-life she expressed her thoughts: "When it comes to abortion, kindness is cruelty to the child."

"To me, kindness is telling people the truth. This will kill your child. You are a mother now. It is your responsibility to protect this child."

"You have other options, and we will help you every step of the way, but if you decide to let a doctor kill your baby, you will regret it for the rest of your life. That is real kindness. Not the lie that a handful of cash will make it all go away."

Excerpts: "Why I Will Never Go Back to Being Pro-Choice" LifeNews, 16 Nov 12

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We are most blessed to receive both prayer and financial support for the love of Life. Both are vitally important and most welcome any time.

### Our Ongoing Proposition...

If you have e-mail, would you like to receive your newsletter by that mode?

If so, e-mail your name and address (for positive identification) to "join the crowd!" [contact@ppcitizensforlife.org](mailto:contact@ppcitizensforlife.org)

### A Famous Quote

"Freedom is never more than one generation away from extinction.

"We didn't pass it to our children in the bloodstream.

"It must be fought for, protected, and handed on for them to do the same, or...

"...one day we will spend our sunset years telling our children and our children's children...

"...what it was once like in the United States where men were free."

*Ronald Reagan*

## California & Abortionists

On October 9, California became the first state to pass a law allowing nurse-practitioners, nurse-midwives and physician assistants to perform early abortions.

The suction aspiration abortion is used during the first 12 weeks of pregnancy. A suction curette is inserted into the womb. The curette is connected to a vacuum machine by a transparent tube.

The vacuum suction, 29 times more powerful than a household vacuum cleaner, tears the fetus and placenta into small pieces which are sucked through the tube into a bottle and discarded.

Oregon, Montana, Vermont and New Hampshire already allow non-physicians to perform early stage abortions, but California is the first state to codify the practice into law.

Excerpts: "California Enacts..." Reuters, 20 Oct 2013

More babies die; more women cry. We cannot quit working to save both babies and mothers.

## Coming Soon? Mandatory Organ Donation

Donating organs in the event of death used to be considered something that should be completely voluntary and without incentive. However, demand for organs outweighs the supply. More and more we are hearing that organ donation should be "opt-out" instead of "opt-in" where doctors presume consent unless otherwise specified and family members have no say in the matter.

American columnist and cartoonist, Ted Rall, in "Mandatory Organ Donation" says organ donation should be mandatory, **no "opt-out" allowed** and the government should just take organs for those who need them. It is estimated that 18 people die every day due to a national shortage of organ donations.

Currently, a patient has to have suffered brain death – where their brain is no longer functioning – but, with the help of a ventilator to keep oxygen flowing, his heart is still pumping blood, keeping his other organs intact.

Even doctors can get this wrong. Caroline Burns woke up on the operating table as doctors were about to harvest her organs. Sam Schmid, a 20-year-old college student, woke up from his coma after doctors declared him brain dead and were preparing to harvest his organs. How many others have been misdiagnosed?

In the October 3, 2013, issue of the New England Journal of Medicine, the article "The Dead-Donor Rule and the Future of Organ Donation," three authors discuss the **need for "abandoning" the Dead-Donor Rule (DDR).** Responding to that article, Alan Friedman, MD, Tel Aviv, Israel, writes:

"Dead Donor Rule – Once we remove the DDR, as soon as an individual signs his organ donor card, we will be able to take his organs on an as-needed basis. Right?"

"He has already announced his willingness to donate his organs. Why wait for him to die or become ill (which would jeopardize his organs' viability, heaven forbid!)? This is no gray slippery slope; it is a black and white ice-covered cliff."

Excerpts: Taylor, Rebecca; "Columnist: Govt Should Take Organs..." LifeNews; 2 October 13

## What Happens at 3480 Centennial Blvd.

Surgical abortions are done on Thursday and Friday mornings at Planned Parenthood. The baby must be no older than 18 weeks, 6 days!

The "client" remains there for 3-5 hours after the "procedure." The cost is between \$435.00 and \$915.00 depending upon how far along a pregnancy is.

If the girl or woman is less than 9 weeks pregnant, she is given the abortion pill. After the client takes the pill she remains in the clinic for 2-3 hours. The abortion pill costs \$435.00!

For \$90.00, Planned Parenthood also does ultrasounds. Being anesthetized costs another fee.

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Please pray for those dedicated pro-lifers who go to the Centennial sidewalk in prayer every week, reaching out in love to those people going in and out of Planned Parenthood. Because of their work **babies are being saved!**

## **“The Snakebite Letters”**

In a modern version of the “*Screwtape Letters*” Peter Kreeft wrote “*The Snakebite Letters*.”

Satan’s agents converse back and forth through letters about their strategies for corrupting American society, public and private morality, and churches.

Their underlying strategy throughout the book is to keep things in the dark. (Dim the Lights). About abortion, Snakebite says to his underling, Braintwister,:

“Keep their eyes off the simple question of just what abortion is and what the ‘thing’ that is poisoned, scalded, or cut limb from limb by abortion is. **“Never let them call it a ‘baby’.”**”

Don’t let your friends, families, and others fall into Satan’s trap by hiding the truth. Abortion **IS** about the baby.

In your discussions with them, don’t let them avoid this fact. **“He or she is a human and not just a product of conception that can be discarded into a biological waste container”**

Rich Reich, Life Runner Devotions, 23 Sept 2013

## **How Refreshing!**

On September 28, 23-year-old Megan Lynn Young, the reigning Miss Philippines, was crowned Miss World in Bali.

In August, Young told a Philippines-based broadcaster that she opposes abortion-on-demand, believes in abstinence before marriage and sees marriage as a lifelong and unbreakable union.

Asked whether she supports the use of contraception, she replied: “I don’t engage in stuff like that as of now. Sex is for marriage.”

When asked how a woman “as gorgeous as yourself” could say no to sex, she responded: “You say ‘no.’”

“If they try to push you, you step away, because that person doesn’t value you, doesn’t value the relationship as much. If the guy is willing to sacrifice that – that means a lot.”

Young is the first Miss Philippines to win the Miss World crown. [Prolife and pro-marriage! What a delight!! Ed]

Excerpts: Johnson, B; “Miss World...” LifeSiteNews; 14 October 13