Note that these tables contain data for all induced terminations of pregnancy that occurred in Alabama. The women may have lived in Alabama or some other state.

| Induced Terminations of Pregnancy by Probable Postfertilization Age (PPFA) |
|---------------------------------|-----------------|
| Total                           | 8,485           |
| 6 or Less                       | 4,857           |
| 7                               | 827             |
| 8                               | 642             |
| 9                               | 515             |
| 10                              | 414             |
| 11                              | 339             |
| 12                              | 240             |
| 13                              | 167             |
| 14                              | 136             |
| 15                              | 125             |
| 16                              | 75              |
| 17                              | 66              |
| 18                              | 71              |
| 19                              | 9               |
| 20                              | 1               |
| 21                              | 0               |
| 22                              | 1               |
| 23                              | 0               |
| 24                              | 0               |
| 25                              | 0               |
| 26 or More                      | 0               |
| Not Stated                      | 0               |
### Was a determination of probable post-fertilization age made?

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### No PPFA determined, medical emergency existed

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### Was ultrasound used to determine post-fertilization age?

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### Induced Terminations of Pregnancy by Race of Patient

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## Induced Terminations of Pregnancy by Type of Consent for Women Under 18 Only

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## Procedure used to terminate the pregnancy

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<td>Medication Abortion (such as mifepristone/misoprotol or methotrexate/misoprostol)</td>
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<td>Electrical Vacuum Aspiration</td>
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## Was an intra-fetal injection used in an attempt to induce fetal demise (such as intra-fetal potassium chloride or digoxin)?

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Information Required for Terminations at 20 weeks or more PPFA

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<td>Other (Hourglass membrane from vagina)</td>
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Was the method of abortion used one that, in reasonable medical judgment, provided the best opportunity for the unborn child to survive?

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If no, basis of the determination that termination of the pregnancy would pose a greater risk either of the death of the pregnant woman or of the substantial and irreversible physical impairment of a major bodily function

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