

Table A42 Induced Abortions by Age, and Age-Specific Induced Abortion Rates, Alberta, 1985 - 1999

Age Group (Years)

Year	Total	< 15	15-17	18-19	15-19	20-24	25-29	30-34	35-39	40-44	> 44	Unknown
Number of Induced Abortions												
85	6,499	57	643	937	1,580	2,244	1,411	760	354	83	10	0
86	6,237	38	607	857	1,464	2,199	1,321	759	358	93	5	0
87	5,465	44	538	815	1,353	1,788	1,227	663	289	93	8	0
88	6,203	33	563	985	1,548	2,015	1,372	760	362	108	5	0
89	6,502	54	513	965	1,478	2,077	1,498	855	412	117	11	0
90	6,559	44	515	907	1,422	2,131	1,426	952	447	131	6	0
91	6,803	47	578	911	1,489	2,155	1,466	1,003	508	128	7	0
92	8,552	76	816	1,097	1,913	2,692	1,849	1,227	645	141	9	0
93	8,905	63	885	1,212	2,097	2,817	1,737	1,290	739	154	8	0
94	8,983	59	832	1,276	2,108	2,813	1,794	1,318	708	179	4	0
95	8,906	69	817	1,203	2,020	2,773	1,795	1,277	758	207	7	0
96	9,240	38	851	1,250	2,101	2,907	1,937	1,220	800	221	15	1
97	10,313	47	911	1,390	2,301	3,272	2,081	1,423	903	275	11	0
98	10,346	57	955	1,442	2,397	3,263	2,109	1,321	898	280	21	0
99	10,164	43	892	1,327	2,219	3,284	2,115	1,336	870	286	11	0

Age-Specific Rate (per 1,000 Women in Each Age Group)^{1,2}

	15-49	< 15	15-17	18-19	15-19	20-24	25-29	30-34	35-39	40-44	> 44
85	9.9	0.7	12.0	25.1	17.4	19.0	11.0	7.0	3.9	1.3	0.2
86	9.2	0.4	11.0	22.5	15.7	18.6	10.0	6.6	3.7	1.3	0.1
87	8.0	0.5	9.9	21.6	14.7	16.0	9.4	5.6	3.0	1.2	0.1
88	9.0	0.4	10.6	25.6	16.9	18.9	10.7	6.3	3.7	1.3	0.1
89	9.4	0.6	9.8	25.1	16.3	20.3	11.8	6.9	4.0	1.4	0.2
90	9.3	0.5	9.8	24.2	15.8	21.0	11.4	7.5	4.1	1.5	0.1
91	9.5	0.5	10.9	24.9	16.6	21.4	12.1	7.8	4.5	1.4	0.1
92	11.8	0.8	15.0	30.4	21.2	27.2	15.9	9.4	5.5	1.5	0.1
93	12.2	0.6	16.2	33.5	23.1	28.8	15.6	9.8	6.1	1.6	0.1
94	12.2	0.6	15.0	35.0	22.9	29.5	16.9	10.2	5.7	1.7	0.0
95	12.1	0.7	14.5	32.4	21.6	29.6	17.5	10.1	6.0	1.9	0.1
96	12.4	0.4	14.6	33.4	22.0	31.3	19.1	10.1	6.2	2.0	0.2
97	13.6	0.4	15.2	36.4	23.4	34.4	20.5	12.1	6.9	2.3	0.1
98	13.4	0.5	15.3	36.4	23.5	33.2	20.3	11.5	6.8	2.3	0.2
99	12.8	0.4	13.8	32.4	21.0	32.2	20.0	11.9	6.5	2.2	0.1

Sources: Clinics Files, Alberta Health and Wellness www.health.gov.ab.ca

Alberta Health Care Insurance Plan Registration File, Alberta Health and Wellness.

Notes: 1. Age-specific rate refers to number of induced abortions per 1,000 women in a specific age group.

2. The age-specific rates for age groups <15 and >44 are calculated based on female populations in 10-14 and 45-49 age groups respectively.

Populations are estimated at March 31, as viewed at September 30 of each year.