

WHY ARE ABORTION PILLS SO DANGEROUS?

THE ABORTION PILL

- also known as chemical abortion, medical abortion, RU-486, or “plan c”
- regimen of medication taken to **kill & expel** a developing baby within 13 weeks of last missed period (LMP)
- consists of **mifepristone** (Mifeprex) followed by **misoprostol** (Cytotec)
- **different from emergency contraception** aka “Plan B” which prevents an egg from releasing
- 53% of abortions are done with the abortion pill. In 2020, the abortion pill **killed over 865,000** developing babies.



HOW IT KILLS

- 1 mifepristone blocks progesterone: causes womb lining to break down**
- 2 lining is baby's only oxygen source: baby starves, suffocates, & dies**
- 3 misoprostol makes womb contract: dead baby pushed out with lining**
- 4 remains may be whole within sac or decay & be torn apart by contractions**

ANGER TO ABORTION SEEKERS

- **1 in 5 experience a complication** from taking the abortion pill (rate 4x higher than surgical abortion)
- can cause severe hemorrhaging & weakens immune system
- **28 women died** from abortion pill between 2000-2022
- repeat abortions are riskier for 12 months after
- **1 in 20 visit ER** after taking (50% more than surgical abortion)
- sepsis possible if parts of baby get left in womb (requires surgery)
- **physical pain** described as “worst ever felt”, “worse than childbirth”, “scared I was dying”
- remains flushed down drain put biohazard waste in water system
- parents **traumatized** by seeing & discarding baby remains
- invented by company derived from maker of Nazi poison gas

PHARMACEUTICAL DISTRIBUTION RISK

EMBRYO BY WEEK

- **5 wks LMP:** facial features developing & nipples grown
- **6 wks LMP:** baby's heart is beating (hear it on an ultrasound!)
- **8 wks LMP:** develops nerves, starts to wiggle & squirm around
- **9 wks LMP:** transitions from embryo to fetus
- **11 wks LMP:** all major organs are in place & full body grows bigger
- **13 wks LMP:** baby is peeing in the womb!

See what your baby looks like this week at babycenter.com

You don't have to let anyone hurt your baby. Your baby loves you!



embryo at 8 wks LMP

need HELP?

Pregnant? Need support?
Let Them Live: +1 (260) 200-3789

Took mifepristone? Regretting it?
Abortion Reversal Helpline:
+1 (877) 558-0333

Had an abortion? Hurting?
Support After Abortion: +1 (833) 403-4325

Abortion worker? Want to quit?
And Then There Were None:
+1 (888) 570-5501

DEREGULATION RELAXED REMS* & RAISES RISKS

If an abortion seeker is not examined by a doctor in-person before taking the abortion pill, preventable complications may become life-threatening.

- undetected ectopic pregnancy = fallopian tube rupture
- miscalculated LMP = too far along to deliver safely alone, or failed abortion
- Rh-factor incompatibility = immune response will harm future babies
- no identity verified in-person = pills prescribed to phony patient who is (or aids) an abuser
- no in-person screening = trafficker can force a victim into procuring pills
- expanded access = increases cultural pressure to abort when in crisis

** Risk Evaluation and Mitigation Strategy (REMS) for Mifepristone modified 1/3/23*