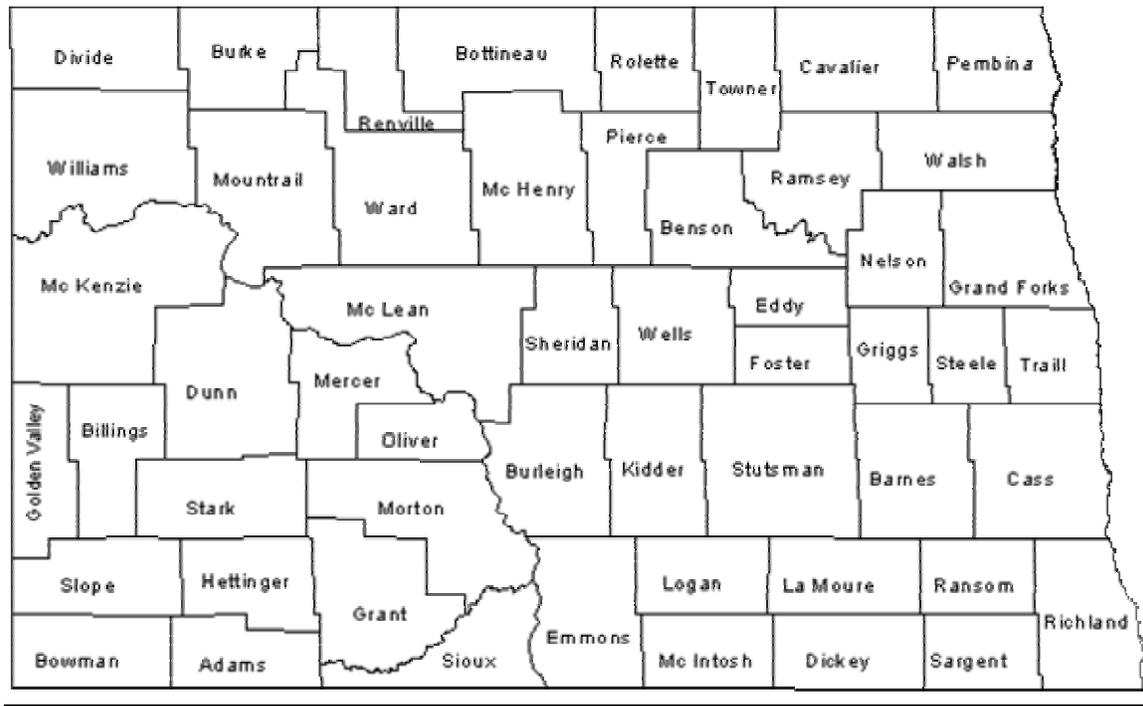


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MISSION STATEMENT  
NORTH DAKOTA  
STATE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

We, as public employees, are dedicated to the goal of assuring that North Dakota is a healthy place to live and to the belief that each person should have an equal opportunity to enjoy good health. To accomplish this mission, we are committed to the promotion of healthy lifestyles, protection and enhancement of the environment, and provision of quality health care services for the people of North Dakota.

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Because no complete number of resident events is available, no rates are calculated. If the reader is interested in ratios, based on the number of live births or pregnancies, he should contact the Division of Vital Records at the contact information listed on the cover of this report.

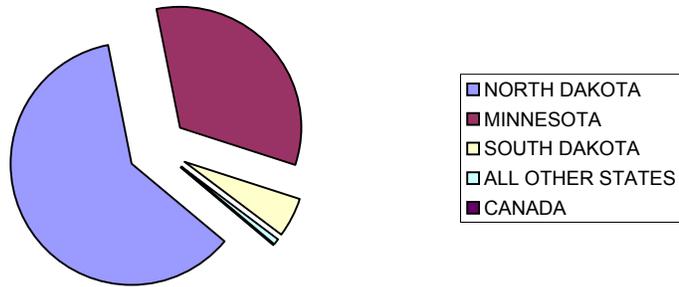
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**INDUCED TERMINATION OF PREGNANCY BY STATE OF RESIDENCE**

<b>STATE OF RESIDENCE</b>	<b>NUMBER OF EVENTS</b>
NORTH DAKOTA	823
MINNESOTA	450
SOUTH DAKOTA	70
ALL OTHER STATES	10
CANADA	1
<b>OCCURRENCE TOTAL</b>	<b>1354</b>

**NORTH DAKOTA OCCURRENCE INDUCED TERMINATION OF  
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**INDUCED TERMINATION OF PREGNANCY  
BY GOVERNOR'S PLANNING REGION OF RESIDENCE**

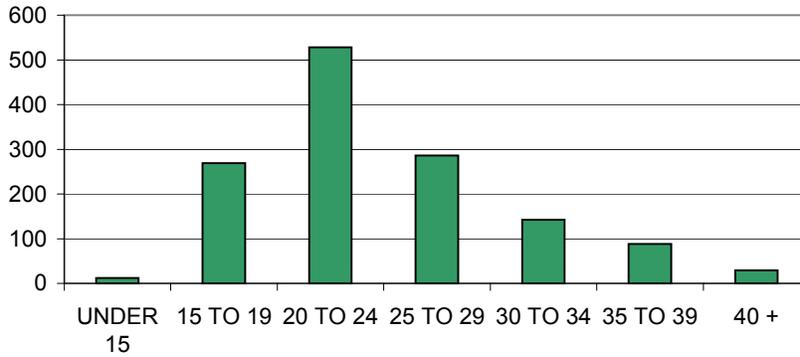
<b>REGION</b>	<b>NUMBER OF EVENTS</b>
OUT OF STATE	531
I	24
II	101
III	51
IV	128
V	292
VI	51
VII	152
VIII	24
<b>OCCURRENCE TOTAL</b>	<b>1354</b>

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**INDUCED TERMINATION OF PREGNANCY BY AGE OF WOMAN**

<b>AGE GROUP</b>	<b>NUMBER OF EVENTS</b>
UNDER 15	12
15 TO 19	269
20 TO 24	528
25 TO 29	286
30 TO 34	142
35 TO 39	88
40 +	29
<b>OCCURRENCE TOTAL</b>	<b>1354</b>

**NORTH DAKOTA OCCURRENCE INDUCED TERMINATION OF  
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**INDUCED TERMINATION OF PREGNANCY BY LEVEL OF EDUCATION**

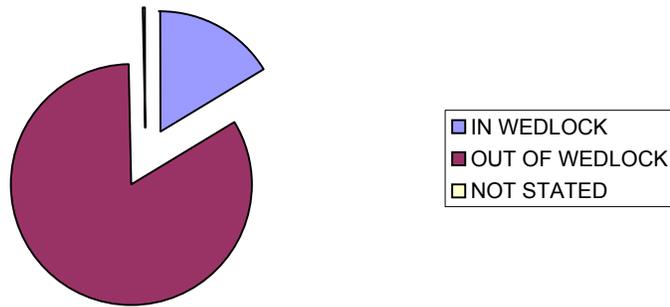
<b>LEVEL OF EDUCATION</b>	<b>NUMBER OF EVENTS</b>
LESS THAN HIGH SCHOOL DIPLOMA	218
HIGH SCHOOL DIPLOMA	413
SOME COLLEGE	527
FOUR YEAR COLLEGE DEGREE	156
GRADUATE LEVEL COLLEGE	32
NOT STATED	8
<b>OCCURRENCE TOTAL</b>	<b>1354</b>

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**INDUCED TERMINATION OF PREGNANCY BY WEDLOCK STATUS**

<b>WEDLOCK STATUS</b>	<b>NUMBER OF EVENTS</b>
IN WEDLOCK	221
OUT OF WEDLOCK	1130
NOT STATED	3
<b>OCCURRENCE TOTAL</b>	<b>1354</b>

**NORTH DAKOTA OCCURRENCE INDUCED TERMINATION OF  
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**INDUCED TERMINATION OF PREGNANCY BY NUMBER OF LIVING CHILDREN**

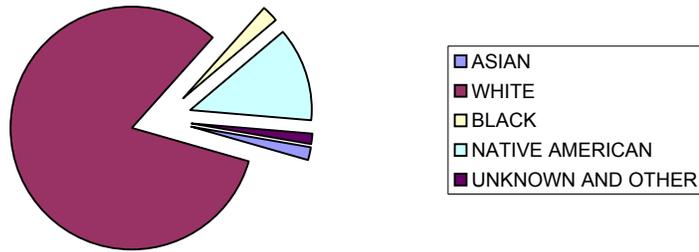
<b>NUMBER OF LIVING CHILDREN</b>	<b>NUMBER OF EVENTS</b>
NONE	618
ONE	340
TWO	239
THREE	105
FOUR	32
FIVE OR MORE	20
<b>OCCURRENCE TOTAL</b>	<b>1354</b>

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**INDUCED TERMINATION OF PREGNANCY BY RACE**

<b>RACE</b>	<b>NUMBER OF EVENTS</b>
ASIAN	22
WHITE	1115
BLACK	30
NATIVE AMERICAN	168
UNKNOWN AND OTHER	19
<b>OCCURRENCE TOTAL</b>	<b>1354</b>

**NORTH DAKOTA OCCURRENCE INDUCED TERMINATION OF  
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**INDUCED TERMINATION OF PREGNANCY  
BY NUMBER OF PREVIOUS INDUCED TERMINATIONS**

<b>NUMBER OF PREVIOUS INDUCED TERMINATIONS</b>	<b>NUMBER OF EVENTS</b>
NONE	917
ONE	304
TWO	92
THREE	31
FOUR OR MORE	10
<b>OCCURRENCE TOTAL</b>	<b>1354</b>

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**INDUCED TERMINATION OF PREGNANCY BY WEEKS GESTATION**

<b>WEEKS GESTATION</b>	<b>NUMBER OF EVENTS</b>
FOUR	2
FIVE	26
SIX	159
SEVEN	269
EIGHT	241
NINE	147
TEN	135
ELEVEN	139
TWELVE	90
THIRTEEN	68
FOURTEEN	38
FIFTEEN	28
SIXTEEN OR MORE	12
<b>OCCURRENCE TOTAL</b>	<b>1354</b>

**INDUCED TERMINATION OF PREGNANCY BY MONTH OF TERMINATION**

<b>MONTH OF TERMINATION</b>	<b>NUMBER OF EVENTS</b>
JANUARY	156
FEBRUARY	106
MARCH	123
APRIL	77
MAY	124
JUNE	112
JULY	141
AUGUST	113
SEPTEMBER	83
OCTOBER	120
NOVEMBER	95
DECEMBER	104
<b>OCCURRENCE TOTAL</b>	<b>1354</b>

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