

Provisional Induced Termination of Pregnancy Counts, Mississippi Residents, 2020-2024

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The following table includes provisional induced termination counts for residents of the state of Mississippi. Data includes Mississippi residents with occurrences inside and outside of the state. Counts are provisional and will likely change as data becomes more complete. Quarterly counts are based on calendar year quarters.

Table 1: Induced termination of pregnancy, Mississippi residents, 2020-2024 by calendar quarter (provisional)

Year, Quarter	Total count	Occurring in state		Occuring out of state	
		#	%	#	%
2020					
Q1 (Jan-Mar)	1,328	863	65.0%	465	35.0%
Q2 (Apr-Jun)	1,312	800	61.0%	512	39.0%
Q3 (Jul-Sep)	1,156	701	60.6%	455	39.4%
Q4 (Oct-Dec)	1,275	835	65.5%	440	34.5%
Year Total	5,071	3,199	63.1%	1,872	36.9%
2021					
Q1 (Jan-Mar)	1,310	787	60.1%	523	39.9%
Q2 (Apr-Jun)	1,486	859	57.8%	627	42.2%
Q3 (Jul-Sep)	1,298	743	57.2%	555	42.8%
Q4 (Oct-Dec)	1,222	748	61.2%	474	38.8%
Year Total	5,316	3,137	59.0%	2,179	41.0%
2022					
Q1 (Jan-Mar)	1,412	708	50.1%	704	49.9%
Q2 (Apr-Jun)	1,370	829	60.5%	541	39.5%
Q3 (Jul-Sep) ²	388	99	25.5%	289	74.5%
Q4 (Oct-Dec)	293	2	0.7%	291	99.3%
Year Total	3,463	1,638	47.3%	1,825	52.7%
2023 ¹					
Q1 (Jan-Mar)	246	2	0.8%	244	99.2%
Q2 (Apr-Jun)	204	0	0.0%	204	100.0%
Q3 (Jul-Sep)	142	2	1.4%	140	98.6%
Q4 (Oct-Dec)	173	1	0.6%	172	99.4%
Year Total	765	5	0.7%	760	99.3%
2024 ¹					
Q1 (Jan-Mar)	113	0	0.0%	113	100.0%
Q2 (Apr-Jun)	34	0	0.0%	34	100.0%
Year Total	147	0	0.0%	147	100.0%

¹ Data is provisional at time of reporting and may not be complete. Includes Mississippi residents with induced terminations potentially occurring outside of the state.

² July 7, 2022-September 30, 2022 included 264 induced terminations with 99.6% occurring outside of the state. Miss Code Ann § 41-41-401 Life Equality Act of 2020 went into effect in July 2022.