



HARTFORD

HARTFORD COUNTY, CONNECTICUT



LOCAL LANDSCAPE

Population, 2016: **123,243**

Median income, 2015: **\$30,630**

Annual costs (family of 4), 2014: **\$81,623**

Number of abortion clinics: **2 2**

Number of Title X clinics: **4**

Number of SBHCs: **4**

Number of CPCs: **~ 1**

Unintended pregnancy: N/A

Maternal mortality: N/A

Teen births, 2010-2014: **40** live births per 1,000, ages 15-19*

PROTECTING ABORTION CLINIC ACCESS



- Clinic safety ordinance
- Regulations on crisis pregnancy centers
- No funding for crisis pregnancy centers

SUPPORTING YOUNG PEOPLE



- Support for pregnant and parenting youth
- Sexuality education policy: *Abstinence-plus*
- Reproductive health care in school-based health centers

ADVANCING INCLUSIVE POLICIES



- Anti-discrimination ordinance for municipal employees on:
- Reproductive health decisions
 - Gender identity
 - Pregnancy

FUNDING AND COVERAGE FOR REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH CARE



- Funding for abortion
- Funding for family planning
- Funding for STI prevention
- Funding for sexuality education
- Municipal insurance coverage of abortion

SUPPORTING FAMILIES



- Supportive breastfeeding policies
- Paid family leave
- \$15 minimum wage
- Support for undocumented people to access care

- Anti-discrimination ordinance for all employees on:
- Reproductive health decisions
 - Gender identity
 - Pregnancy

TAKING A STAND



- Resolution passed on:
- Support for anti-discrimination policies
 - Opposition to crisis pregnancy centers
 - Support for abortion coverage
 - Pro-choice stance on legislation or ballot initiatives
 - Opposition to sex-selective abortion bans

SPOTLIGHT: Local Response to CPCs

Since 1981, the Hartford GYN Center has been offering comprehensive reproductive health care and abortion services for the Hartford community. In May 2017, St. Gerard's Center for Life, an active anti-choice group, moved into the same building complex and opened an anti-abortion CPC called "Hartford Women's Center." The Hartford Women's Center's intentionally confusing name and signage divert patients seeking services at Hartford GYN and the CPC then gives those patients medically inaccurate and false information when they enter. In response, Hartford GYN has reinforced its commitment to providing compassionate, judgment-free care to people seeking abortions, including trained clinic escorts.

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 Yes
 No
L Limited
P Preempted
N/A Data not available
 * County-level data