

Title FOI HTH-2023-32872 Abortion and Sterilization Query**Completion Date** 2023-11-15**Client** Kathy Coutts**Client Organization** IAO**Question being asked**

Data showing the total number of procedures recorded in British Columbia with respect to each of the following diagnostic codes (based on the Index for 3 and 4 Digit Diagnostic Codes, ICD9; or the equivalent predecessors for each diagnostic code), broken down geographically by both (i) health region and (ii) local or regional community throughout British Columbia (or another similar geographic breakdown), and broken down by year or quarter, going back to 1970 or as far back as digital records exist (whichever date is earlier in time): 10B Consultation Re Sterilization - Male; 12B Sterilization - Male; 15B Sterilization - Female; 16B Consultation Re Sterilization - Female; 17B Consultation Re Abortion. Also Data showing the total number of MSP claims made and/or processed in British Columbia with respect to each of the following billing codes (based on MSP Fees, or their equivalent predecessors), broken down geographically by both (i) health region and (ii) local or regional community throughout British Columbia (or another similar geographic breakdown), and going back to 1970 or as far back as digital records exist (whichever date is earlier in time): 04230 Sterilization - abdominal open; 04660 Tubal interruption (sterilization); 04110 Therapeutic abortion (vaginal) 14 - 18 weeks; 04111 Therapeutic abortion (vaginal) less than 14 weeks; 04114 Therapeutic abortion by d&e, 18 wks. and over; 04715 Obstetrical surcharge therapeutic abortion>18 wks.; 04716 Obstetrical surcharge therapeutic abortion, 14 - 18wk. (Date Range for Record Search: From 1/1/1970 To 9/24/2023).

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Data source 1 Medical Services Plan

Extract date 2023-11-06

Notes

- 1 Diagnostic codes and fee items extracted per request. Where possible, discontinued fee items that preceded current fee items are included.
- 2 Fiscal year runs from April 1 to March 31 of the following year. E.g., Fiscal year 2022/2023 covered April 1, 2022 to March 31, 2023
- 3 For appropriate year-over-year comparison, paid dates are set as September 30 of the calendar year in which the fiscal year ended. E.g., For fiscal year 2022/2023 the paid date is September 30, 2023. September 30 is when Medical Services Plan data is considered closed.
- 4 Note that 2023/2024 data is incomplete.
- 5 Includes claims paid by Medical Services Plan. Excludes claims paid by other provinces under reciprocal arrangements for services delivered to non-B.C. residents. Excludes claims paid by third parties, e.g., WorkSafeBC or ICBC.
- 6 Geography is the practitioner's location. Health Service Delivery Area is the most granular level available without excessive suppression required.

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Services by Health Service Delivery Area and diagnostic code, 1990/1991 to September 30, 2023/2024 - Small Values Unsuppressed

Health Service Delivery Area		Diagnosis Code	FISCAL																																		
			1990/1991	1991/1992	1992/1993	1993/1994	1994/1995	1995/1996	1996/1997	1997/1998	1998/1999	1999/2000	2000/2001	2001/2002	2002/2003	2003/2004	2004/2005	2005/2006	2006/2007	2007/2008	2008/2009	2009/2010	2010/2011	2011/2012	2012/2013	2013/2014	2014/2015	2015/2016	2016/2017	2017/2018	2018/2019	2019/2020	2020/2021	2021/2022	2022/2023	2023/2024	
1 - Interior	11 - East Kootenay	10B - CONSULTATION RE STERILIZATION - MALE		87	57	44	86	55	58	93	84	72	100	119	79	87	70	73	73	48	57	75	51	37	44	39	49	68	59	43	52	98	46	59	38	27	
		12B - STERILIZATION - MALE	124	142	196	139	164	80	86	76	43	70	96	83	139	130	85	99	154	102	82	154	119	103	173	131	176	193	127	60	174	217	182	177	340	131	
		15B - STERILIZATION - FEMALE	225	196	280	414	261	163	269	145	95	91	88	182	131	146	113	77	98	101	168	167	187	159	183	183	177	111	177	96	178	100	64	68	31	25	
		16B - CONSULTATION RE STERILIZATION - FEMALE	42	93	90	69	44	77	48	224	223	236	181	148	101	103	52	90	25	25	35	39	54	30	55	57	19	22	16	22	14	13	§ 22	§ 22			
		17B - CONSULTATION RE ABORTION	6	6	7	§ 22		12	11	17	45	13	8	9 § 22		7	6	10	9	7	7	8	8	13	9	11	11	30	86	14	6	10	15	18	29 § 22		
		10B - CONSULTATION RE STERILIZATION - MALE	133	169	197	150	178	190	167	140	125	81	54	47	34	39	28	27	23	24	24	34	51	55	62	61	70	76	106	87	93	133	83	94	78	14	
	12 - Kootenay Boundary	12B - STERILIZATION - MALE	76	73	58	58	60	56	51	41	49	74	86	78	71	97	93	96	84	100	127	203	177	181	179	173	173	182	164	158	152	197	155	179	170	81	
		15B - STERILIZATION - FEMALE	579	580	591	747	480	421	337	267	378	351	223	147	141	90	57	58	6 § 22				25	43	29	52	55	22	57	24	31	44	51	46	21	30	6
		16B - CONSULTATION RE STERILIZATION - FEMALE	12 § 22		8	13	46	114	71	57	39	44	28	6	14	10	10	56	46	55	78	41	27	39	28	47	31	26	22	20	12	13	15	8	6		
		17B - CONSULTATION RE ABORTION	56	84	102	118	109	80	89	51	75	74	90	112	100	114	115	131	209	247	255	248	216	227	221	213	177	197	135	166	104	120	140	125	73	20	
		10B - CONSULTATION RE STERILIZATION - MALE	305	339	201	117	178	211	176	196	145	138	148	139	239	358	427	772	746	815	860	876	738	821	771	776	863	950	870	901	910	996	833	957	1072	222	
		12B - STERILIZATION - MALE	337	451	345	301	637	743	627	621	612	667	570	495	538	602	605	383	410	418	428	456	544	522	500	545	367	418	537	530	549	614	511	503	366	77	
	13 - Okanagan	15B - STERILIZATION - FEMALE	834	658	640	608	570	595	542	783	639	585	386	362	369	350	357	383	377	299	356	292	347	250	183	230	178	196	232	226	162	158	121	105	164	112	
		16B - CONSULTATION RE STERILIZATION - FEMALE	530	602	600	465	517	488	349	382	356	359	215	218	248	300	260	262	212	221	214	203	267	212	162	158	135	108	106	112	91	100	32	36	38	19	
		17B - CONSULTATION RE ABORTION	21	26	71	155	41	59	73	59	47	73	53	44	35	38	46	44	33	41	19	25	17	26	19	28	20	24	22	23	21	47	163	58	120	48	
		10B - CONSULTATION RE STERILIZATION - MALE	314	247	334	258	244	288	372	389	384	287	247	289	251	228	199	207	164	223	315	204	232	191	192	171	161	140	123	101	72	82	73	41	27	9	
		12B - STERILIZATION - MALE	479	580	587	524	580	518	562	493	439	455	401	392	437	477	327	317	299	278	313	312	275	208	206	191	256	254	192	236	184	131	248	144	151	86	
		15B - STERILIZATION - FEMALE	1363	1496	1522	1370	1192	1141	1395	1462	1440	1168	1141	810	836	790	837	713	661	634	592	506	412	336	282	301	332	352	311	331	315	202	193	168	167	81	
	14 - Thompson Cariboo Shuswap	16B - CONSULTATION RE STERILIZATION - FEMALE	419	454	511	660	504	573	504	536	521	336	334	302	255	238	245	225	279	251	165	163	135	113	125	94	155	84	83	75	72	72	50	52	37	8	
		17B - CONSULTATION RE ABORTION	384	573	487	497	437	398	575	611	455	340	342	258	226	188	222	188	212	245	340	230	212	131	105	95	127	110	142	121	147	150	121	129	138	70	
		10B - CONSULTATION RE STERILIZATION - MALE	610	640	689	605	692	731	772	811	893	779	646	566	615	526	331	288	289	249	250	231	157	150	105	26	33	41	36	38	34	44	32	29	64 § 22		
		12B - STERILIZATION - MALE	440	563	510	419	536	509	568	603	564	590	475	458	488	442	297	293	299	237	183	161	149	119	119	71	61	76	47	36	310	454	471	531	601	344	
		15B - STERILIZATION - FEMALE	512	343	362	329	327	416	355	470	362	453	453	522	565	474	446	569	590	587	416	395	453	350	225	349	225	247	297	365	271	145	147	197	170	56	
		16B - CONSULTATION RE STERILIZATION - FEMALE	528	563	574	571	613	615	668	715	610	609	485	97	157	130	121	95	97	90	79	57	113	46	107	122	110	100	97	82	53	34	63	31 § 22			
	2 - Fraser	17B - CONSULTATION RE ABORTION	175	167	165	141	156	107	104	139	62	71	54	28	29	29	22	51	46	36	36	27	31	27	24	26	44	29	25	22	47	46	48	67	66	9	
		10B - CONSULTATION RE STERILIZATION - MALE	818	846	613	627	877	999	1001	551	489	177	138	103	96	60	81	165	98	80	89	90	119	75	62	72	31	35	46	56	25	85	274	407	447	359	
		12B - STERILIZATION - MALE	953	847	940	739	766	715	822	1041	1028	698	519	431	413	228	169	171	146	119	88	69	56	60	55	55	42	33	35	34	25	23	28	16	55	7	
		15B - STERILIZATION - FEMALE	793	900	756	825	616	642	697	731	519	651	870	734	778	779	453	540	433	471	398	314	338	291	301	248	288	274	235	180	102	126	123	121	128	61	
		16B - CONSULTATION RE STERILIZATION - FEMALE	331	261	341	292	296	346	326	227	153	164	199	200	154	180	176	220	148	144	106	73	47	30	32	23	22	36	39	25	30	19	17	17	35	14	
		17B - CONSULTATION RE ABORTION	387	270	299	157	142	185	117	187	102	73	77	144	77	80	81	74	73	55	59	72	48	46	25	49	44	156	149	83	109	71	76	88	6		
	22 - Fraser North	10B - CONSULTATION RE STERILIZATION - MALE	132	161	172	146	202	298	147	147</																											

Select fee items, by Health Service Delivery Area and fee item, fiscal years 1990/1991 to September 30, 2023/2024 - Small Values Unsuppressed

Health Authority	Health Service Delivery Area	Fee Item	Fiscal year																																				
			1990/1991	1991/1992	1992/1993	1993/1994	1994/1995	1995/1996	1996/1997	1997/1998	1998/1999	1999/2000	2000/2001	2001/2002	2002/2003	2003/2004	2004/2005	2005/2006	2006/2007	2007/2008	2008/2009	2009/2010	2010/2011	2011/2012	2012/2013	2013/2014	2014/2015	2015/2016	2016/2017	2017/2018	2018/2019	2019/2020	2020/2021	2021/2022	2022/2023	2023/2024			
1 - Interior	11 - East Kootenay	4110 - THERAPEUTIC ABORTION (VAGINAL) 14 - 18 WEEKS							\$ 22							\$ 22	6			\$ 22				\$ 22															
		4111 - THERAPEUTIC ABORTION (VAGINAL) LESS THAN 14 WEEKS	45	69	69	80	92	92	108	123	20	\$ 22					17	27	12	22	10	\$ 22							13	125	116	89	73	31	61	82	23		
		4112 - THERAPEUTIC ABORTION	\$ 22		\$ 22			\$ 22								\$ 22										\$ 22									\$ 22				
		4114 - THERAPEUTIC ABORTION BY D&E, 18 WKS AND OVER														\$ 22										\$ 22													
		4213 - STERILIZATION, ABDOMINAL OR VAGINAL	217	222	220	240	192	140	144																														
		4230 - STERILIZATION - ABDOMINAL-OPEN								29	21	24	24	21	25	21	30	32	26	25	28	24	28	19	9	8	17	20	14	\$ 22									
		4660 - TUBAL INTERRUPTION (STERILIZATION)								154	136	124	101	111	66	93	61	49	44	34	55	71	60	26	20	13	11	\$ 22	8	\$ 22		\$ 22		\$ 22					
		4716 - OBSTETRICAL SURCHARGE THERAPEUTIC ABORTION,14-18WK																																					
		4110 - THERAPEUTIC ABORTION (VAGINAL) 14 - 18 WEEKS								10	\$ 22							\$ 22						\$ 22						\$ 22						\$ 22			
	12 - Kootenay Boundary	4111 - THERAPEUTIC ABORTION (VAGINAL) LESS THAN 14 WEEKS	544	411	397	201	187	195	212	195	220	268	255	236	216	189	193	198	161	216	234	224	184	185	175	169	137	139	77	87	26	28	20	21	35	18			
		4112 - THERAPEUTIC ABORTION	9	11	7	\$ 22	7	7	8																	\$ 22				\$ 22						\$ 22			
		4114 - THERAPEUTIC ABORTION BY D&E, 18 WKS AND OVER																								\$ 22									\$ 22				
		4213 - STERILIZATION, ABDOMINAL OR VAGINAL	198	186	193	216	215	234	187																														
		4230 - STERILIZATION - ABDOMINAL-OPEN								17	10	33	18	23	16	11	6	9	6	\$ 22															6				
		4660 - TUBAL INTERRUPTION (STERILIZATION)								124	137	135	111	93	97	67	54	63	35	30	41	32	25	13	6	7	8	10	7	6	\$ 22		\$ 22						
		4715 - OBSTETRICAL SURCHARGE TRERAPEUTIC ABORTION >18 WKS																							\$ 22			\$ 22											
		4716 - OBSTETRICAL SURCHARGE THERAPEUTIC ABORTION,14-18WK																								\$ 22			\$ 22										
		4027 - THERAPEUTIC ABORTION BY D&E OR AMNIOCENTESIS								\$ 22			\$ 22																										
	13 - Okanagan	4110 - THERAPEUTIC ABORTION (VAGINAL) 14 - 18 WEEKS								9	\$ 22														7	\$ 22	6	\$ 22		0		\$ 22							
		4111 - THERAPEUTIC ABORTION (VAGINAL) LESS THAN 14 WEEKS		214	74	321	416	360	413	317	430	432	541	345	250	214	175	216	215	180	11	15	17	18	10	8	\$ 22	6	\$ 22	55	292	6	6	\$ 22	89	121	124	211	84
		4112 - THERAPEUTIC ABORTION	\$ 22		6	12	\$ 22		6												\$ 22						\$ 22							0					
		4114 - THERAPEUTIC ABORTION BY D&E, 18 WKS AND OVER																0	\$ 22		\$ 22					\$ 22													
		4213 - STERILIZATION, ABDOMINAL OR VAGINAL	651	679	768	723	746	756	634																														
		4230 - STERILIZATION - ABDOMINAL-OPEN								114	85	72	79	89	96	71	77	97	97	104	111	133	102	108	110	94	110	116	52	36	34	26	31	26	12	9			
		4660 - TUBAL INTERRUPTION (STERILIZATION)								504	422	491	421	372	371	411	326	358	335	279	258	240	210	127	72	65	25	6	11	8	6	\$ 22							
		4715 - OBSTETRICAL SURCHARGE TRERAPEUTIC ABORTION >18 WKS																																					
		4716 - OBSTETRICAL SURCHARGE THERAPEUTIC ABORTION,14-18WK																																					
	4027 - THERAPEUTIC ABORTION BY D&E OR AMNIOCENTESIS									\$ 22			\$ 22																										
	14 - Thompson Cariboo Shuswap	4110 - THERAPEUTIC ABORTION (VAGINAL) 14 - 18 WEEKS																																					
		4027 - THERAPEUTIC ABORTION BY D&E OR AMNIOCENTESIS								\$ 22		\$ 22																		0		\$ 22							
		4110 - THERAPEUTIC ABORTION (VAGINAL) 14 - 18 WEEKS														7	\$ 22		15	\$ 22	21	\$ 22										9	6	\$ 22					
		4111 - THERAPEUTIC ABORTION (VAGINAL) LESS THAN 14 WEEKS	499	701	584	590	563	528	619	554	453	372	425	420	424	391	475	454	453	523	730	453	545	430	537	421	505	423	478	440	480	422	299	318	315	68			
		4112 - THERAPEUTIC ABORTION	38	26	25	8	9	\$ 22	6																														
		4114 - THERAPEUTIC ABORTION BY D&E, 18 WKS AND OVER																																					
		4213 - STERILIZATION, ABDOMINAL OR VAGINAL	645	709	689	643	610	543	598																														
		4230 - STERILIZATION - ABDOMINAL-OPEN								93	87	84	70	78	95	78	101	101	95	86	96	74	62	60	62	66	88	57	64	44	68	37	38	35	22	11			
		4660 - TUBAL INTERRUPTION (STERILIZATION)								444	397	337	402	303	283	256	286	240	255	227	187	184	164	151	139	78	49	31	16	10	\$ 22		7	\$ 22					
4716 - OBSTETRICAL SURCHARGE THERAPEUTIC ABORTION,14-18WK																																							
4027 - THERAPEUTIC ABORTION BY D&E OR AMNIOCENTESIS																																							
2 - Fraser	21 - Fraser East	4110 - THERAPEUTIC ABORTION (VAGINAL) 14 - 18 WEEKS								\$ 22						9	\$ 22		7	\$ 22																			
		4111 - THERAPEUTIC ABORTION (VAGINAL) LESS THAN 14 WEEKS	52	49	46	43	37	25	25	28	13	20	10	\$ 22		8	18	19	17	37	50	60	61	48	35	42	61	37	42	17	13								

