

10 POWERFUL TAKEAWAYS

From the Lozier Institute's latest report:

A Half Century of Hope, A Legacy of Life and Love: Pregnancy Center Service Report, Third Edition

#1

Last year, 2,752 pregnancy help organizations provided nearly 2 million people with free services, saving communities at least **\$161 million**. That's more than **5,000 people a day**, saving taxpaying citizens more than **\$440,000—every day**.

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More than **7 in 10 pregnancy help organizations now provide ultrasounds, 1,944 in all**. This is a 24% increase from 2010.

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Pregnancy help medical clinics provided **400,100 ultrasounds in 2017**; this is more than 1,000 per day.

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100 Mobile units with ultrasound are now on the road, bringing services to women in their communities.

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Heartbeat International's OptionLine receives **30,000 contacts each month** through its telephone hotline and email/chat lines, reaching women and men facing the challenge of an unexpected pregnancy.

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67,400 volunteers serve pregnancy centers, including an estimated **7,500 medical professionals** giving their time and skills.

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Pregnancy help organizations provided **679,600 free pregnancy tests** in 2017, saving their clients an estimate \$6.1 million.

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295,900 moms and dads attended parenting courses at pregnancy help organizations in 2017, learning key parenting skills and gaining confidence for their new journeys.

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More than 1 million students attended community-based sexual risk avoidance education presentations in 2017.

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Pregnancy help organizations served **24,100 after-abortion support clients** in 2017. These services include support counseling, and referral to professional help when appropriate for both women and men.