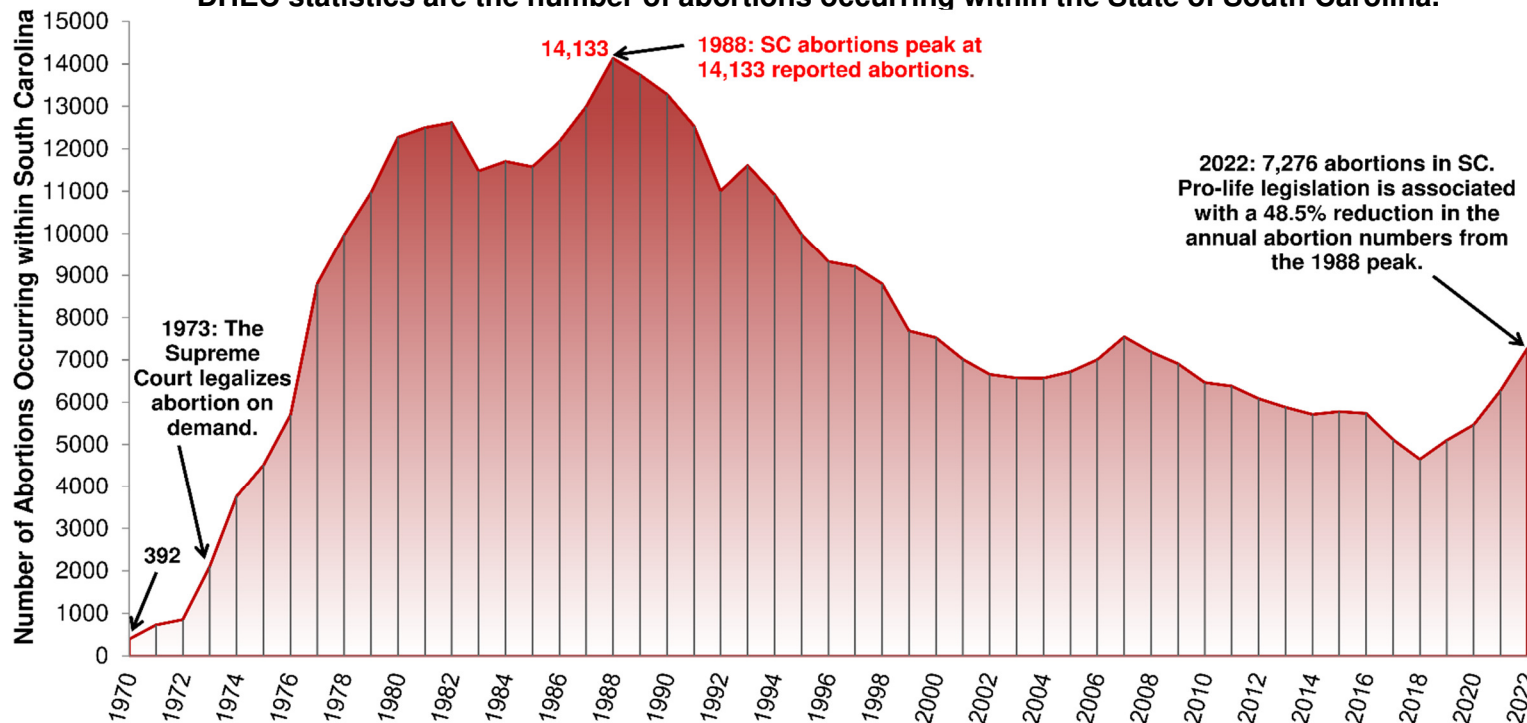


**Saving babies' lives in South Carolina's most notorious former abortion facility.**

# Effect of Pro-Life Legislation on Number of Abortions in South Carolina

## SC Abortions Decline by 48.5%. Pro-Lifers save 216,799 babies!

DHEC statistics are the number of abortions occurring within the State of South Carolina.



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| <b>1988-</b> SC abortion numbers peak. SCCL begins lobbying for Parental Consent Act. | <b>2001-</b> Choose Life License Tags Act (Overturned by US 4th Circuit)  | <b>2016-</b> Pain-Capable Unborn Child Protection Act                                 |
| <b>1990-</b> Parental Consent Act   | <b>2005-</b> Autumn's Law (Denies rapists "parental rights")              | <b>2021-</b> Fetal Heartbeat Act passed but enjoined in Federal Court.                |
| <b>1994-</b> Women's Right to Know Act and Abortion Clinic Regulation Act             | <b>2006-</b> Unborn Victims of Violence Act and Choose Life Tag (via DMV) | <b>2022-</b> Roe overturned on June 24. US Supreme Court returns issue to the states. |
| <b>1997-</b> Partial Birth Abortion Ban Act   | <b>2008-</b> Ultrasound Act   | <b>2023-</b> Fetal Heartbeat Act enacted, upheld by SC Supreme Court.                 |
| <b>1998-</b> Physician Assisted Suicide Ban Act                                       | <b>2010-</b> 24 Hour Waiting Period Act                                   |   |
| <b>2000-</b> Safe Haven for Abandoned Newborns Act                                    | <b>2012-</b> Born Alive Infant Protection Act                             |   |
|   | <b>2012-</b> Opt Out of Abortion in Obama Care                            |   |

Year	Reported Abortions	Reductions in Abortions since peak in 1988
1970-1987	145102	NA
1988	14133	0
1989	13741	-392
1990	13285	-848
1991	12538	-1595
1992	11008	-3125
1993	11611	-2522
1994	10922	-3211
1995	9984	-4149
1996	9326	-4807
1997	9211	-4922
1998	8801	-5332
1999	7687	-6446
2000	7527	-6606
2001	7014	-7119
2002	6657	-7476
2003	6573	-7560
2004	6565	-7568
2005	6716	-7417
2006	7005	-7128
2007	7544	-6589
2008	7187	-6946
2009	6911	-7222
2010	6464	-7669
2011	6379	-7754
2012	6084	-8049
2013	5878	-8255
2014	5709	-8424
2015	5778	-8355
2016	5736	-8397
2017	5112	-9021
2018	4646	-9487
2019	5101	-9032
2020	5468	-8665
2021	6279	-7854
2022	7276	-6857
<b>Total Babies Saved by Pro-Life Efforts:</b>		<b>216,799</b>