

TABLE 3-4. Abortions in relation to length of gestation by method, complications, and age of patient, Oregon occurrence, 2013

Method, complications and age of patient	Total	Weeks gestation						
		< 9	9-12	13-16	17-20	21-22	23+	Unk.
Total	8,287	5,287	1,767	579	280	96	52	226
Suction curette	3,682	2,103	1,276	204	7	2	–	90
Medical (non-surgical)	2,385	2,219	78	11	11	3	4	59
Dilation & evacuation	2,163	932	410	362	255	84	43	77
Intra-uterine instillation	3	1	1	–	–	1	–	–
Vaginal prostaglandin	13	2	–	1	4	5	1	–
Sharp curettage	1	–	1	–	–	–	–	–
Other	35	25	1	1	3	1	4	–
Unknown	5	5	–	–	–	–	–	–
Complications								
None	8,075	5,118	1,743	572	279	94	51	218
Hemorrhage	2	–	1	–	–	–	–	1
Infection	7	5	2	–	–	–	–	–
Uterine perforation	1	1	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cervical laceration	2	1	1	–	–	–	–	–
Retained products	83	64	10	5	1	1	–	2
Failure of first method	25	21	3	–	–	–	–	1
Other	56	43	7	2	–	–	1	3
Multiple complications ¹	35	33	–	–	–	1	–	1
Unknown	1	1	–	–	–	–	–	–
Age groups								
< 15	17	7	5	2	–	2	–	1
15-19	977	569	253	75	40	8	7	25
20-24	2,571	1,605	570	184	94	30	16	72
25-29	2,139	1,390	461	133	61	28	15	51
30-34	1,400	930	272	99	45	14	5	35
35-39	787	532	129	59	27	12	6	22
40-44	285	184	60	20	11	1	2	7
45+	21	16	3	1	–	–	–	1
N.S.	90	54	14	6	2	1	1	12

– Quantity is zero.

¹ Patients having more than one complication are listed here. Their individual complications are not listed above.