

Healthcare Providers: Counsel the patient on the risks of mifepristone. Both you and the patient must sign this form.

#### **Patient Agreement:**

- 1. I have decided to take mifepristone and misoprostol to end my pregnancy and will follow my provider's advice about when to take each drug and what to do in an emergency.
- 2. Lunderstand:
  - a. I will take mifepristone on Day 1.
  - **b.** My provider will either give me or prescribe for me the misoprostol tablets, which I will take 24 to 48 hours after I take mifepristone.
- 3. My healthcare provider has talked with me about the risks, including:
  - · heavy bleeding
  - infection
  - · ectopic pregnancy (a pregnancy outside the womb)
- 4. I will contact the clinic/office right away if in the days after treatment I have:
  - a fever of 100.4°F or higher that lasts for more than four hours
  - severe stomach area (abdominal) pain
  - heavy bleeding (soaking through two thick full-size sanitary pads per hour for two hours in a row)
  - stomach pain or discomfort, or I am "feeling sick," including weakness, nausea, vomiting, or diarrhea, more than 24 hours after taking misoprostol
- **5.** My healthcare provider has told me that these symptoms could require emergency care. If I cannot reach the clinic or office right away my healthcare provider has told me who to call and what to do.
- **6.** I should follow up with my healthcare provider about 7 to 14 days after I take mifepristone to be sure that my pregnancy has ended and that I am well.
- 7. I know that, in some cases, the treatment will not work. This happens in about 2 to 7 out of 100 women who use this treatment. If my pregnancy continues after treatment with mifepristone and misoprostol, I w II talk with my provider about a surgical procedure to end my pregnancy.
- **8.** If I need a surgical procedure because the medicines did not end my pregnancy or to stop heavy bleeding, my healthcare provider has told me whether they will do the procedure or refer me to another healthcare provider who will.
- 9. I have the MEDICATION GUIDE for mifepristone. I will take it with me if I visit an emergency room or a healthcare provider who did not give me mifepristone so that they will understand that I am having a medical abortion with mifepristone.
- 10. My healthcare provider has answered all my questions.

Patient Signature:	Patient Name (print):	Date:
The patient signed the PATIENT AGI I have given the patient the MEDICA	REEMENT in my presence after I counseled the patier TION GUIDE for mifepristone.	nt and answered all questions.
Provider's Signature:	Name of Provider (print):	

After the patient and the provider sign this PATIENT AGREEMENT, give 1 copy to the patient before the patient leaves the office and put 1 copy in the medical record.

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## FETAL DEVELOPMENT & ALTERNATIVES BROCHURE BY THE STATE OF FLORIDA

1	am seeking a Termination of
Print First and Last Name Pregnancy at A Woman's World Medical Cer	iter.
The State of Florida requires each patient th with fetal development 4 weeks to 40 weeks You can refuse to see the brochure or accep	s of pregnancy.
Please initial one or	ly please
Yes, I want to see the brochure.	
No, I do not want to see the brochure.	
Patient Signature Date  STAFF initials providing brochure to patient	

# LIVE ULTRASOUND IMAGES CONSENT FORM Florida State Statute 390.0111

## Please read this carefully before you sign this form....

This form is required by	aw 24 hours before yo	our termination of pregnancy.
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Patient Signature	Date	Staff Signature
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Patient Signature	Date	Doctor/Nurse Signature

First Na	ameMiddle InitialLast Name
Age	Date of Birth/ Phone Number ()
Addres	s
	Health Information
YN	My health is generally good
ΥN	Tobacco use? Number of years how many a day
YN	Vape Use? Number of years how many times a day
YN	Alcohol use? How many drinks per week?
YN	Do you use any drugs recreationally? If yes, please describe the type and frequency of use
ΥN	Do you use any drugs intravenously currently or in the past?
YN	Any history of cancer? If yes where/when
YN	Are you being treated for any illness/condition now? If yes what?
YN	Do you currently take medication? (Prescriptions, over the counter or herbal) If yes, please list:
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	floxacin Y N Ibuprofen Y N Cytotec Y N
	cycline Y N Tylenol Y N Latex Y N
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YN	Heart Murmur
ΥN	Heart Attack
YN	Blood Clots
YN	Stroke
YN	High Blood Pressure
YN	Asthma or other breathing problems
YN	Tuberculosis
Gast	rointestinal
ΥN	Stomach or Bowel problems?
YN	Liver problems
Geni	tourinary
YN	Bladder or kidney problems
ΥN	Uterine Fibroids
YN	Ovarian Cysts
YN	Vaginal Discharge? If yes, please describe
ΥN	Endometriosis
Rhei	umatological
YN	Lupus
YN	Rheumatoid Arthritis

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ΥN	Migraine headaches		
YN	Seizures/Epilepsy		
Psyc	hological		
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ΥN	Depression
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ΥN	Bipolar disorder
ΥN	Schizophrenia
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YN	Thyroid Problems Hypo/Hyper
ΥN	Diabetes
Hema	atological
ΥN	Anemia
ΥN	Sickle Cell Disease/Trait
ΥN	Bleeding disorder
	italization and Surgeries
Year	Reason
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Gyne	ecology History
ΥN	Do you have a bicornuate, septated or heart shaped uterus?
ΥN	Abnormal Pap Test
ΥN	Previous Leep, Cone Biopsy or Cryosurgery? If yes, when?
ΥN	History of sexually transmitted infection? If yes when?  Treated Y N
	Circle type: Herpes Chlamydia Gonorrhea Syphilis HIV
	Genital Warts Hepatitis B or C PID
YN	Regular Periods?
Cont	traceptive History
YN	Method of birth control in the past year?
ΥN	What method do you want to use now?
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ΥN	Are you currently living in a secure and supportive environment?
ΥN	Do you need any information or assistance regarding any type of abuse?
YN	Has anyone forced you to have sex?
YN	Are you afraid of your partner?

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Date

#### Medical Abortion Risks, Benefits and Alternatives

Alternatives: Women who are pregnant can decide to continue or end the pregnancy and depending on the outcome of the pregnancy, can then decide to parent or place the child for adoption. Each option will have benefits and risks. If a pregnancy is less than 9 weeks, you have the additional choice of a medical or surgical abortion. You need to consider your choice carefully to be able to make the best decision for yourself.

**Benefits**: Abortion, adoption, and parenting can each have benefits, depending upon the individual, the timing of the pregnancy, and the situation. The benefits of carrying to term or having an abortion can be different for each person. Medical Abortion (Abortion Pill) may have other perceived benefits, such as the ability to take the second medicine (misiprostol) outside the clinic, with a chance for increased privacy and comfort during the abortion process.

**Risks:** Abortion using mifepristone and misoprostol is a simple medical procedure. Like any procedure, it is possible that a complication could occur during or after your procedure and require treatment. It is important to know about risks and include this information as part of your decision. Possible risks include but are not limited to the following. There is always a risk of previously unknown side effects occurring death. However, many (tens of thousands) women have had a similar medical abortion procedure in this country alone, and the medical abortion process has been studied and reported on for over 20 years around the world.

**Mifepristone:** can cause nausea, vomiting, diarrhea and fatigue. These effects are mild, usually last less than three days, and the nausea/vomiting may be helped with medication.

**Misoprostol:** can also cause nausea, vomiting, and diarrhea and is expected to cause uterine cramps (lower abdominal pain) for less than three days similar or worse than menstrual period. The cramping pain may be helped with over the counter or prescription pain medication. DO NOT TAKE ASPIRIN for pain as it can thin your blood and increase bleeding.

**Incomplete Abortion:** It is possible for part of the pregnancy tissue to still be inside the uterus after the abortion. This happens in about two to five percent of patients and is treated by a surgical completion of the abortion. Incomplete abortion can lead to serious bleeding (hemorrhaging requiring a transfusion), infection, and severe abdominal pain. It is very important to return for your follow-up ultrasound. This checkup is provided to you at no additional cost at A Woman's World Medical Center.

Continuing Pregnancy: In rate cases (about one percent of the time) a woman can still be pregnant after an abortion. Possible causes include: a twin pregnancy, early pregnancy, a tubal pregnancy (ectopic), or an abnormality of the uterus. A tubal pregnancy is medical emergency that would require immediate further testing, treatment, possible hospitalization, and surgery. These problems may be discovered at the time of follow-up visit. If the pregnancy is continuing, you will need to have a surgical abortion. This will be provided at no additional cost if done at A Woman's World Medical Center.

**Infection:** In a small number of cases the uterus or pelvic organs could become infected after an abortion. Medication can treat infection, causing no long-term damage. If the woman seeks medical attention in the early stages of infection. In some cases, an infection may be serious enough to cause permanent damage, such as loss

of the ability to have children. Call us immediately if you think you have any of these symptoms of infection bad smelling vaginal discharge, temperature of 100.4 or above lasting more than 2 hours, or severe abdominal pain.

Bleeding or Hemorrhage: Very heavy bleeding can occur during or after the abortion. Treatment depends on the cause of the bleeding and can include but is not limited to observation, medication, hospitalization, transfusion, or further surgery. The risk of hemorrhage (defined as needing a blood transfusion) is less than one-half of one percent (two to four per one thousand women, depending on gestation.) It is important for you to contact us if you soak two or more pads in one hour for two hours or more, or if your bleeding lasts for more than four weeks.

Amniotic Fluid Embolism or Anaphylactic Condition of Pregnancy: This is extremely rare, pregnancy-related complication can occur during childbirth, miscarriage, or abortion. Current theory suggests antibodies from the fetus create an allergic reaction in the woman's heart, causing her heart to stop, and resulting in coma or death. It is not predictable or preventable.

**Post-Abortion Syndrome:** This is a physical condition occurring when the uterus fills with blood clots that do not pass through the cervix and create severe c5ramping. Uterine massage, medication, or surgical evacuation pf the uterine contents are all possible treatments.

**Mortality Risk:** Although there is a risk of death because of an abortion, there is also a risk of death from childbirth. The risk of death from childbirth is much greater than from a first trimester abortion (through 14 weeks.) In the United States there is less than one death for every one hundred thousand first trimester abortion procedures performed.

**Breast Cancer:** No Proven Link. Although some studies suggest there is a link between abortion and breast cancer, the World Health Organization, American Cancer Society and the National Cancer Institute conclude that there is no proven evidence of abortion causing breast cancer.

#### **Acknowledgement of Understanding**

I have read and understand the possible risks, benefits, and alternatives to abortion. I have discussed these and asked any questions of the A Woman's World Medical Staff and/or doctor before my procedure that I felt I needed to. I understand I may need additional tests or treatment as a result of the pregnancy or abortion for my physical will-being, and I accept the responsibility for additional expenses that these tests or treatment may require.

Patient Signature	Date	Witness Signature	Date

### Patient Consent to Treatment, Anesthetics, and Other Medical Services

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Patien	t Signature	Date	Witness Signature	Date

#### A Woman's World Medical Center, Inc.

Under Florida Law, physicians are generally required to carry medical malpractice insurance or otherwise demonstrate financial responsibility to cover potential claims for medical malpractice. However, certain part-time physicians who meet state requirements are exempt from the financial responsibility law. YOUR DOCTOR MEETS THESE REQUIREMENTS AND HAS DECIDED NOT TO CARRY MEDICAL MALPRACTICE INSURANCE. This notice is provided pursuant to Florida Law.

Patient Signature	

## INFORMATION AND FACTS CONCERNING "TERMINATION OF PREGNANCY"

**WHAT IT IS-** A surgical procedure to terminate a pregnancy.

#### HOW IT IS DONE AT THIS FACILITY AND THROUGHOUT THE COUNTRY.

- 1. You will be examined by Dr. \_\_\_\_\_ who is an OBGYN. The doctor/LPN will determine the length of your pregnancy by an ultrasound. In some cases, patients are given an IV sedation to make them less nervous during the procedure. Please note that you are not asleep during the procedure.
- 2. A speculum is inserted into the vagina for the cervix to be visible by the doctor. A local anesthetic is injected into and around the cervix to numb this area. Then an instrument called a tenaculum is clamped onto the cervix. (Cervix is the opening to the uterus).
- 3. The opening of the cervix is gradually opened by a series of narrow rods called dilators, each a little thicker than the one before. You may or may not feel cramps during this process the largest dilator may be as thick as a fountain pen, depending on how many weeks you. are.
- 4. When the cervix is opened enough to admit a blunt tipped instrument called a cannula (straw like in appearance) is inserted into the opening. The cannula is attached to the vacuum. aspiration machine, which is then turned on to empty the uterus.
- 5. After the uterus has been emptied by gentle suction, the doctor will remove the tenaculum and speculum.

\*NOTE: THIS PROCEDURE IN MOST CASES TAKES 3 TO 5 MINUTES.

**POSSIBLE PROBLEMS AND COMPLICATIONS**- As with any kind of surgery, complications can occur with early abortion. Early abortion by vacuum aspiration is, however, very safe. Fewer than 1 in 100 women will have serious complication, including, but not limited to:

<u>INFECTION</u> - Infection is caused by germs from the vagina and cervix getting into the uterus. The risk of infection associated with early abortion is less than 1 in 100 cases. Such infections usually respond to antibiotics but, in some cases, a repeat vacuum aspiration or hospitalization is necessary.

**HEMORRHAGE** - Bleeding from the uterus heavy enough to require treatment occurs rarely. Bleeding heavy enough to require blood transfusion occurs less than 1 in 1,000 cases. Medication may be required to help the uterus contract, (go back to normal size) a repeat vacuum aspiration or dilation and curettage or rarely surgery may be necessary.

**CERVICAL TEAR**- The cervix is sometimes torn during the procedure. The frequency of this event is less than 1 in 100 cases. Stitches may be required to repair the cervix.

<u>INCOMPLETE ABORTION</u> - Occasionally, the contents of the uterus may not be completely emptied. The frequency of this event is less than 1 in 100 cases. This can lead to infection, hemorrhage, or both. To remove the tissue, it may be necessary to repeat vacuum aspiration or perform a dilation and curettage at the clinic or in the hospital. In rare instances, surgery may be required.

<u>PERFORATION</u>- Rarely, an instrument may go through the wall of the uterus. The frequency of this event is about 2 per 1,000 cases. Should this happen, hospitalization is required for observation and/or completion of the procedure. Perforation rarely requires surgery to repair the uterus. This can include hysterectomy (removal of the uterus), which makes it impossible to have children. The frequency of hysterectomy in this setting is about 1 in 10,000 cases. Very rarely does this occur.

**FAILURE TO TERMINATE PREGNANCY** - Rarely, does early termination fail to terminate a pregnancy. The likelihood of this event is about 2 per 1,000 cases. In such cases another suction is required.

<u>**DEATH**</u> - Early abortion is one of the safest procedures in medicine today. Information from the Center for Disease Control indicates that the risk of death from early abortion is about 1 in 100,000 cases. The risk of death associated with tonsillectomy is about 3 per 100,000 cases. The risk of death from childbirth is at least 7 times greater than termination.

<u>ANESTHESIA REACTION</u> - In some cases, local sedation can cause severe reactions or shock. Twilight sedation might render the patient unconscious in a few patients. However, in a small number of cases, severe complications which may result in injury, disability and very rarely death. If you would like a list of side effects, please let the front desk know.

<u>IMPACT OF ABORTION ON FUTURE PREGNANCIES</u> - At this point, there is no clear evidence that one early abortion carries any risk to future pregnancies. Women have a slightly increased risk of premature birth or miscarriage after the third early abortion with future pregnancies. Some studies have shown this while others have not.

# INFORMED CONSENT TO TERMINATE MY PREGNANCY. GIVE ANESTHESIA. PERFORM OTHER MEDICAL SERVICES AND AUTHORIZE RELEASE OF MEDICAL RECORDS IF NECESSARY.

I,	, Age	, hereby give my consent to and
request and authorize Dr.		and assistants of his/her choosing to perform
an abortion on me. I understand that the purpose of an	abortion is	s to end my pregnancy.

I understand the practice of medicine is not an exact science and that <u>NO GUARANTEES OR</u>

<u>ASSURANCES HAVE BEEN MADE TO ME</u> concerning the results of this procedure. I understand that the physician, medical personnel, and other assistants will rely on statements I have made, the medical history I have given and other information in determining whether to perform the procedure or the course of treatment for me and I warrant that I have made a full, complete, and truthful disclosure.

ADDITIONAL PROCEDURES If during the course of the abortion procedure, any unforeseen conditions or complications arise, and the doctor in his/her professional medical judgment decides that different or additional procedures including, but not limited to anesthesia or blood transfusion or the association of another doctor, or hospitalization at a hospital may be necessary, I give my permission for my parent (or legal guardian where applicable) or other person I name set forth on the next page to be notified by the doctor or staff member. The correct identity, and phone number of my emergency contact is on the next page.

**LABORATORY** I consent to diagnostic studies, tests, sonograms, x-ray examinations and any other treatment or courses of treatment relating to the diagnosis of my condition or procedures set forth herein. I understand the purpose of a sonogram here is to determine gestational size only and NOT to rule out and determine fetal abnormalities and deformities. I also consent to the disposal of any tissue or other parts of contents of my uterus (womb) which may be removed during the abortion at the discretion of the physician of the clinic.

**EMERGENCY** If I develop a fever, heavy bleeding, severe cramping, pain, or any other symptoms, I agree to notify the clinic at once. I have been given an emergency contact telephone number which I can call 24 hours a day for assistance. My failure to give notice releases the doctor and/or clinic from any responsibility to me.

**FOLLOW-UP** I have been advised to return to the clinic for a follow-up examination within 3 weeks after today. I understand that this exam is needed to be ensure that no complications or other problems have appeared, that I am not still pregnant, and that the healing process has gone on properly. I agree to follow the instructions provided to me and take my medications as directed. I further agree to obtain the follow-up care either here or at someplace else at my own expense. My failure to follow instructions or obtain care relieves the doctor and/or clinic of any responsibility to me.

I GIVE MY CONSENT FOR THE ABORTION FREELY AND WITHOUT COERCION By signing this form, I acknowledge that I have read or had this form explained to me, that I fully understand its contents, and that I have been given ample opportunity to ask questions and that any questions have been answered satisfactorily. All blanks or statements requiring completion were filled in and all statements I do not approve of were stricken before I signed this form. I also have received additional information including but not limited to the materials listed below relating to the procedure described herein. I understand that I can request and receive a sample copy of this consent if I choose to do so.

# ADDITIONAL MATERIALS USED OR FURNISHED TO PATIENT Aftercare instructions with 24 hr. emergency number, appointment sheet with follow-up time and date. Antibiotic and Pain medication prescription. IN CASE OF EMERGENCY, PLEASE CONTACT NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE\_\_\_\_\_ Does the above person know why you are here? Y or N Relationship to you\_\_\_\_\_\_ Patient Signature Date Counselor Signature Date

Parent Signature

Date

#### A Woman's World Medical Center, Inc.

Patients Name	Date
If I change my mind or am too far for the abortio refundable.	n, the initial payment of \$400.00 is non-
I have been informed that 2-3 weeks after my about my health after the termination. I have also been problems before my follow-up, I am to contact A aware that if I do not contact a Woman's World I exam, I will not hold the Doctor or A Woman's Womedical problems. Future office check-ups are chec	n informed that if I have any concerns or Woman's World Medical Center first. I am Medical Center or return for the follow-up Yorld Medical Center responsible for any further
I am aware that neither the Doctor nor A Woma any of my personal articles such as money, jewel the office for my termination.	
Patient Signature	Witness Signature

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#### PATIENT DISCLOSURE

In accordance with the Agency for Health Care Administration (section AZ818):

To report a complaint regarding the services you receive, please call (888)419-3456.

To report abuse, neglect, or exploitation, please call (800)962-2873.

To report suspected Medicaid fraud, please call (800)223-8164.

Medicaid fraud means an intentional deception or misrepresentation made by a person with knowledge that the deception could result in some unauthorized benefit to him or herself or some other person. It includes any act that constitutes fraud under applicable federal or state law as it relates to Medicaid.

By signing, this, you (the patient or patie	ent's representative), certify that you have	e received a copy of this form.
Patient Signature	Date	

## MEDICAL RECORDS RELEASE AUTHORIZATION

Patient Name	Date of Birth
Social Security Number	
I hereby authorize <u>all</u> my medical re	ecords be released to:
	A Woman's World Medical Center, INC 503 South 12 <sup>th</sup> Street Fort Pierce, FL 34950 Phone: 772-460-1506 Fax: 772-264-6430
Patient Signature:	
Witness Signature:	

#### **Patient Instructions**

You will be given Mifepristone (RU486) today. You can eat and drink after you leave here. Please start your antibiotics tomorrow and take every 12 hours till they are gone. You may or may not have bleeding, cramping or pass clots after taking Mifepristone (RU486).

Possible side effects after inserting the Misoprostol: nausea, vomiting, diarrhea, constipation, and headache.

Restrictions: We suggest using pads only no tampons.

48 Hours later: On you will la Place one at a time on your fingertip and insert as for at least 15 minutes after you have inserted the pills with food. It can take up to 4 hours for the n cramp and pass clots. You need to prepare yourse will be different sizes, some will be small and oth The medication makes your body expel the pregn sure to drink plenty of fluids. Also please do not control you bleed more.	pills. After you insert all 4 pills you nedication to start working. These pelf for heavy bleeding. The crampin ters large. Clots are brownish or live ancy tissue. Pregnancy tissue is wh	a. We suggest you lay flat i may take one of your pain oills cause you to bleed, ig can be severe. The clots r color. This is normal. ite or grayish in color. Be
72 Hours later: On you will vagina. We suggest you lay flat for about 15 min heavy as the day before. You may bleed like a perspotting on and off. Do not expect a regular period your first period is normal.	utes after you insert the pills. The bl riod for a week or two or maybe lon	eeding may not be as ger. Or you may just have
Approved medications: Tylenol (regular or extra You may also take the pain medicine prescribed bit. It can cause thinning of your blood and may can	by your doctor. Do not take aspirin	
Check-up appointment	ll be \$60.00. If at that time it shows e cost will be \$700.00. Please call if	that you are still pregnant
Patient Signature Date	Witness Signature	Date