



Children by Choice  
Association Incorporated

Providing pro-choice counselling, information and education services on all unplanned pregnancy options – abortion, adoption and parenting

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## Abortion Services in Queensland

Children by Choice provides counselling and information about all options with an unplanned pregnancy. Counsellors can answer questions about abortion, and can provide detailed information about the abortion procedures, to assist clients in decision-making and in giving informed consent. Abortion is available legally throughout Queensland, mostly in private clinics which are subject to regulations from Queensland Health. All abortions are provided at the Doctor's discretion. It is usually advised to access a surgical abortion between 6 and 12 weeks, or a medical abortion between 5 and 7 weeks. For further information please contact Children by Choice.

### BRISBANE

<p><b>Campbell Street Surgicentre</b> 8 Campbell Street, Bowen Hills Abortion provided to 16 weeks. Tuesday, Thursday &amp; Friday. All anaesthetic options available. Female doctor available Friday. (07) 3257 1205 or 1800 044 477 <a href="http://www.ppadaysurgeries.com">www.ppadaysurgeries.com</a></p>	<p><b>Greenslopes Day Surgery</b> 687 Logan Road, Greenslopes Abortion provided to 17 weeks. Tuesday, Thursday &amp; Friday. General or local anaesthetic. Female doctors unavailable. (07) 3397 1211 <a href="http://www.gsds.com.au">www.gsds.com.au</a></p>
<p><b>Marie Stopes International</b> 11 Hayling Street Salisbury Abortion provided to 17 weeks, medication abortion also available to 9 weeks. Monday, Wed, Fri &amp; Saturday. Twilight and local anaesthetic. Female doctors available. 1800 003 707 <a href="http://www.mariestopes.com.au">www.mariestopes.com.au</a></p>	<p><b>Spring Hill Clinic</b> 1<sup>st</sup> Floor, 383 Wickham Terrace, Spring Hill. Abortion provided to 14 weeks, medication abortion available to 9 weeks. Tuesday, Thursday &amp; Saturday. All anaesthetic options available. (07) 3831 8300 or 1800 626 533 <a href="http://www.optionsclinic.com.au">www.optionsclinic.com.au</a></p>

### SUNSHINE COAST

<p><b>Eastcoast Women's Centre</b> 115 Howards Street, Nambour Abortion provided to 16 weeks. Tuesday and Friday. Twilight and Local anaesthetic (07) 5476 3700 or 1800 112 882</p>
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### Our Vision ...

All women have the knowledge and power to take control of their sexual health and reproductive choices.

### Support us ...

Make a donation today and ensure that we can continue to make a positive difference for women.

Membership of the association is open to all who agree with our aims.

Call us to explore opportunities to volunteer.

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## GOLD COAST

<b>Southport Surgicentre</b> 34 Cougal Street, Southport Abortion provided to 20 weeks. Wednesday, Friday & Saturday. Twilight and local anaesthetic. (07) 5527 1511 <a href="http://www.ppadaysurgeries.com">www.ppadaysurgeries.com</a>	<b>Tweed Heads Medical Centre</b> 127 Wharf Street (Pacific Hwy) Abortion provided to 14 weeks. Wednesday & Friday. All anaesthetic options. (07) 5536 1626 <a href="http://www.optionsclinic.com.au">www.optionsclinic.com.au</a>
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## NORTH QUEENSLAND

<b>Rockhampton Surgicentre</b> 123 Bolsover St, Rockhampton Abortion provided to 15 weeks. Every second Thursday. Twilight and local anaesthetic (07) 4922 2755 <a href="http://www.ppadaysurgeries.com">www.ppadaysurgeries.com</a>	<b>Townsville Surgicentre</b> 26 McIlwraith St, Sth Townsville Abortion provided to 15 weeks. Operating day: Monday. Twilight and local anaesthetic (07) 4772 5533 <a href="http://www.ppadaysurgeries.com">www.ppadaysurgeries.com</a>
<b>Cairns Day Surgery</b> Solander Centre, 182 Grafton Street, Cairns Abortion provided to 11 weeks. Operating day: Tuesday. General anaesthetic available GP referral to Dr Carrette req. Consultation and scan initially. (07) 4041 2500	

## COSTS

The cost of an abortion varies between clinics and locations. Before 12 weeks, costs for Medicare card-holders range from \$350 - \$450 in Brisbane, \$550 - \$650 in Rockhampton and Townsville, and \$832 in Cairns (\$263.50 rebate available in Cairns, however other clinics automatically deduct Medicare rebate). Non-Medicare card-holders may pay \$750-\$1100 prior to 12 weeks. Some clinics offer concessions for pension or healthcare card holders. Prices increase steadily up to 16 weeks (\$400-\$1000 with Medicare) and very steeply from 16 weeks to 20 weeks (an additional \$500 to \$1500 each week). An abortion at 20 weeks may cost over \$3000.