

# ESSENTIAL PREGNANCY SERVICES FACT SHEET



## about us

Essential Pregnancy Services (EPS) is a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization providing services to expectant women and parenting families. All services are free and confidential.

EPS is a life-affirming organization, providing compassionate care and comprehensive education so its clients can make informed choices about their pregnancy.

EPS has three clinic locations in the Omaha metro - Benson, Bellevue and Maple Village. Clinic hours can be found at [www.essentialps.org](http://www.essentialps.org).

EPS offers pregnancy testing, ultrasounds, STI testing and treatment, professional counseling, educational classes, material assistance, and resource information.

EPS employs highly-qualified, professional individuals, including five Registered Nurses, one Licensed Practical Nurse, and two Licensed Mental Health Practitioners. All staff and volunteers are required to uphold high ethical standards of care.

Every woman who tests positive for pregnancy receives research-based options counseling to educate her on life-affirming choices which include parenting and adoption, as well as education on abortion and the impact it can have on her health and the life of her unborn child.

## in 2017

44

percentage of abortion-minded women who chose life

97

percentage of abortion-vulnerable women who chose life



1,545  
hotline calls

6,127  
total client visits



## medical services

In 2017, EPS saw 2,186 new clients, administered 1,550 pregnancy tests and performed 615 nurse consultations.

EPS is committed to supporting women and families before and after the birth of a child. EPS made 4,283 follow-up calls after clients' initial visits.

## professional counseling

EPS offers free and confidential counseling by appointment at our Benson and Bellevue centers. In 2017, EPS had 230 counseling visits.

## educational & material assistance

EPS offers over 200 classes each year focusing on parenting, child birth, personal growth, and life skills education. In 2017, EPS had over 3,000 total attendees in these classes.

EPS has two boutique locations - Benson and Bellevue - offering baby and mommy essentials. In 2017, EPS had 2,274 visits to its boutiques.

A list of ongoing donation needs can be found on the EPS donor website, [www.friendsofeps.org](http://www.friendsofeps.org).