

**Equal Access  
to Abortion,  
Everywhere.**

# ABORTION ACCESS IS A HUMAN RIGHT –

**WE MUST PROTECT IT NOW**

The **Women’s Health Protection Act (WHPA)** works toward a future where all of us are free to make the personal decisions that shape our lives, our futures, and our families, without political interference.

**When passed, WHPA will protect the right to abortion throughout the United States.**

## WHPA

Federal legislation creating a statutory right for health care providers to provide abortion care, and a right for their patients to receive that care, free from medically unnecessary restrictions that single out abortion and impede access.

**25**

Number of states expected to ban or severely restrict access to abortion now that *Roe v. Wade* has been overturned.

**85%**

The percentage of voters who believe everyone should have access to the full range of reproductive health care—annual screenings, birth control, pregnancy tests, *and abortion*—regardless of where they live.\*

**150+**

Number of reproductive health, rights, and justice groups in the broad coalition supporting WHPA through the **WHPAcampaign**. To learn more, visit [ActforWomen.org](https://ActforWomen.org).

## WHPA Protects Abortion Access After *Roe*

Equal access to abortion care—everywhere—is essential for social and economic equality, reproductive autonomy, and the right to make our own decisions with dignity and self-determination.

But the U.S. Supreme Court has taken away the constitutional right to abortion and states are rushing to ban abortion, leaving millions without access to care. Twenty-five states are expected to ban abortion in the wake of this decision.

**WHPA would protect abortion access across the country, despite the Supreme Court’s decision overturning *Roe v. Wade*.**

## Working Toward Reproductive, Economic, and Racial Justice

People hurt most by abortion restrictions are those who already face discriminatory barriers to accessing health care—particularly Black, Indigenous and People of Color, women, and those working to make ends meet. Ensuring access to abortion care is central to the pursuit of Reproductive Justice and the human rights to maintain bodily autonomy and live in safe and sustainable communities.

## Congress Can and Must Protect Abortion Access

Every day without congressional action means more people are being denied their human right to abortion. We need a federal legislative solution. WHPA is that solution.

The U.S. Congress can and must act immediately to protect the right to access abortion across the country.

\*According to a nationally representative online survey among 1,629 registered voters, conducted by Hart Research Associates January 15-20, 2021.