

Planned Parenthood of Maryland

"The front desk crew [at **Planned Parenthood of** Maryland] always makes me feel seen, heard, valued, and safe. It is truly the best center I've been to because they're the epitome of a judgement-free zone."

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From the CEO

Patients across the country don't have equal rights to local health care anymore. We must all step up to meet this moment together. PPM is responding by expanding access to health care in Maryland and partnering with other affiliates to ensure patients across the country receive the care they need. Our efforts to expand and strengthen care include our Abortion Access Campaign, growth in Telehealth, and investment in our Patient Access Team.

Abortion care remains legal and protected in Maryland. And this November a ballot initiative to protect bodily autonomy, inclusive of abortion care, will go in front of Maryland voters. In many states, like our immediate neighbors in West Virginia, local abortion care is vanishing. Last fiscal year, PPM saw patients from 29 states and out-of-state patients represented about 9% of our abortion patients. That was a 52% increase in out-of-state patients compared to the year prior, before the fall of Roe. Throughout 2023, and as I write this letter, this number continues to climb.

Our telehealth center is another critical component in efforts to expand access. Last fiscal year, telehealth represented 15% of our visits. Each telehealth appointment opened in-clinic availability for patients who need in-person care. Telehealth serves rural Marylanders, those without reliable transportation, and individuals who have concerns about privacy, safety, or are immunocompromised.

The Patient Access Department's (PAD) sole charge is to help patients overcome obstacles to health care. The PAD fields over 5,000 calls monthly, responds to pre- and post-visit questions and concerns, provides resources for practical support, processes prescription requests, makes referrals, calculates good faith estimates, and more – ensuring every patient has access to care.

We continue to provide affordable, high quality, non-judgmental health care, educate the community, and advocate for reproductive health care protections and access. It is only through the support of individual donors and grant funders that our work is possible. **Your support ensures care continues, No Matter What.**



In this Together,

Karen J. Nelson President and CEO





The 2023 legislative session made Maryland

history. The Reproductive Freedom Package, passed in 2023 by the Maryland General Assembly, was signed into law by Governor Wes Moore. These bills shield abortion providers who care for out-of-state patients from prosecution, protect patients' electronic health records, and require Maryland's public universities to provide 24/7 access to over-the-counter contraceptives.

The biggest item on PPM's legislative agenda was the "Declaration of Rights - Right to Reproductive Freedom," which positions Maryland to amend the state constitution. The matter now goes to the voters as a ballot initiative this November. **Once passed by** voters, this Constitutional Amendment will enshrine the right to reproductive freedom here in Maryland, providing the highest possible level of protection for abortion care and birth control.

To learn more about the 2024 ballot initiative, visit **MDReproFreedom.com.**



PPM with Governor Wes Moore and fellow bill supporters celebrating momentous wins for sexual and reproductive health care from the 2023 Maryland General Assembly.





Volunteers engaged in community outreach

Community outreach events hosted



Education

PPM fosters lasting relationships with Marylanders across the lifespan, from 4th grade to senior citizens, through our comprehensive sexual health education programming and training. PPM's Peer Educator Program is intended for high school students interested in health education, public speaking, and community service.

Peer Educators are equipped with the tools to act as educational resources to their peers, represent PPM at events, and advocate for teen issues at the state legislature. In-person and virtual Teen Talks are facilitated by the Peer Educators and cover topics such as healthy relationships, consent, birth control, sexual orientation and gender identity, and more.



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"The ability to know about one's sexual and mental health shouldn't be a privilege, but a right. And being able to educate my peers and even adults on such topics, thanks to what I learned as a Peer Educator in Planned Parenthood, is truly unforgettable."



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Peer Educator from Patterson High School.

People provided with sexual health education

Students from **8 high schools** trained to serve as Peer Educators

College students trained to become health liaisons

Education Programs, including 49 series and 120 single programs

Professional Development Trainings



Health Care: Expanded Access

Abortion Access Campaign

Since the Dobbs decision, PPM has been working to not only protect, but to increase access to abortion care for all who need it. Through strategic investments in our clinical staffing, we have seen tremendous growth in our visit numbers and scope of services offered, and we are so grateful to the many supporters and community members who have made this possible. We saw a 45% increase in access in FY23, which continued to climb throughout 2023. We are now working to sustain our capacity to deliver abortion care at this increased volume.

Patient Access Coordinators

Our most important goal as a health care provider is to ensure compassionate, person-centered care to all of our patients, no matter what. **PPM has built a dedicated Patient Access Department, designed to provide a positive impact on patient experience by improving patient readiness, facilitating access to care, and providing resources for practical support.** The department includes bilingual Patient Access Coordinators, offers a library of resources, and assists with obtaining funding for patients who otherwise would be unable to pay for their care. The Patient Access Coordinators assist with an average of 93 patient requests for abortion funding and 36 requests for practical support, including abortion care, monthly.

A5% INCREASE IN ACCESS (FY23)



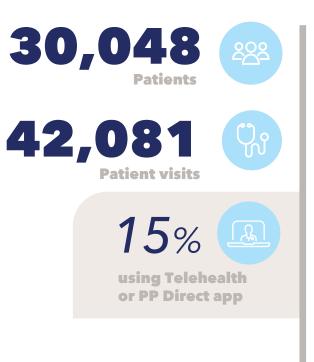
Telehealth

PPM offers virtual health care appointments 5 days a week to patients anywhere in the state of Maryland.

Patients connect with a trusted health care provider from the comfort of their home. A virtual conversation with a health care provider is just as compassionate, safe, and productive as an in-person one. Our telehealth services include birth control, emergency contraception, STI testing and treatment, UTI testing and treatment, abortion care, and gender-affirming hormone therapy. Some telehealth services are also available through the app PP Direct. Telehealth opens availability for in-clinic appointments, thereby reducing wait times and improving patient experience.



Health Care Services



53,080 STI tests performed

27,940 Birth control

Birth control methods provided

10,020 Abortions

9,635 Pregnancy tests

1,925 Wellness visits

946 GAC^{*} patients

134 Vasectomies

*GAC - Gender-Affirming Care, including gender-affirming hormone therapy. *LARCs - Long-Acting Reversible Contraceptives, including IUDs and implants.



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Financials



REVENUE		
	FY2023	FY2022
Contributions	\$2,539,277	\$3,031,806
Grants	\$4,952,673	\$3,946,145
Patient Fees - Net*	\$10,315,186	\$6,755,567
Other Revenue	\$1,825,664	\$1,785,872
Investment Income (Loss)	(\$1,116,927)	(\$1,737,093)
Total Revenue:	\$20,749,727	\$13,782,297
EXPENSES	FV0000	
	FY2023	FY2022
Patient Services / Health Services	\$13,836,188	\$12,357,959
Public Education	\$574,307	\$601,802
Advocacy	\$483,103	\$535,682
Fundraising	\$684,050	\$605,821
Management and General	\$3,301,794	\$2,656,819
Total Expenses:	\$18,879,442	\$16,758,083



Balance Sheet



ASSETS

Total Assets	\$28,174,400
Property, Equipment, Endowment, Other	\$18,078,055
Current Assets	\$10,096,345

During the fiscal year ending June 30, 2023, Planned Parenthood of Maryland received forgiveness of its second PPP loan and has recorded \$1,639,749 included in Other Revenue in the financials.

LIABILITIES

Total Liabilities	\$5,091,318
Note Payable	\$1,110,991
Operating Lease Agreements	\$1,895,617
Current Liabilities	\$2,084,710

NET ASSETS

Without Donor Restrictions	\$14,895,700
With Donor Restrictions	\$8,187,382
Total Net Assets	\$23,083,082
Total Liabilities & Net Assets	\$28,174,400

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8 Virtual Health Center

Telehealth Services via Phone and Video Access Telehealth through **ppm.care**

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Our mission is to enable all Marylanders to have access to a wide range of high quality, affordable reproductive health care services.

By providing medical services, education, training, and advocacy, PPM seeks to help individuals make informed decisions about their reproductive health, family planning options, and sexuality.

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