

Do you allow your patients **INFORMED CONSENT** regarding Birth Control? Do you tell them about:

Risks:

- blood clots, which can cause strokes
- increased risk of contracting AIDs¹
- increased risk of breast², liver³ and cervical⁴ cancer, and melanoma⁵
- **Women in their 20's and 30's are getting breast cancer⁶**
- The link to breast cancer has been examined for years but “political correctness” has prevented news coverage.⁷
- Side effects can include loss of libido, mood changes, weight gain, and headaches.⁸

Alternatives:

Fertility awareness based methods (FABMs) work! They lack attention because of little profit to be made.

- A large study in India showed <0.2% unintended pregnancy rate.⁹
- For a free 4 –page guide to FABMs, written by 3 MDs, go to naturalwomanhood.org/share.
- Many women prefer natural alternatives to using drugs with side effects and increased health risks.

Don't they deserve to have that choice?

What about Abortion? *If your friend was trying to decide whether or not to buy a car, would you send him to a car salesman? Abortion centers only sell abortions– and some have quotas to meet.* Millions of women have deeply regretted their abortions. Pregnancy centers can give women good information not only about abortion, but also adoption, and the help available for them to parent. They also offer emotional support and have nothing to gain from a woman's decision. **The Option Line - 800-712-HELP - www.OptionLine.org** is a 24/7 hotline with someone to talk to immediately and referrals to the nearest center. Please refer anyone asking about abortion.

Business cards with the Option Line number are available at no charge from Marie@ChristianVoicesforLife.org.

For references cited, go to www.ChristianVoicesforLife.org/contraception. See document list on the right.