



Planned Parenthood Clinician Jessica, APRN, FNP-BC

HEALTHCARE YOU CAN TRUST

Meet Jessica, one of the health experts who brings compassionate, high-quality care to Planned Parenthood patients every day.

Jessica's background:

Jessica is a Board-Certified Family Nurse Practitioner with a Masters of Science in Nursing. She is a member of Texas Nurse Practitioners and has 16 years of healthcare experience.

**Number of years with
Planned Parenthood:**
2.5 years

In her words:

"The best part of my day at Planned Parenthood is connecting with patients and helping them achieve their healthcare goals."

Favorite dessert:

Chocolate chip cookies

Planned Parenthood's clinicians have an average of **25 years** of healthcare experience. Their range of expertise includes Women's Health Care Nurse Practitioners, Family Nurse Practitioners, Certified Nurse Midwives, Physician Assistants, and other advanced levels of certification and licensure.

On June 27th the U.S. Supreme Court struck down two key provisions in Texas' controversial abortion restrictions law. This historic ruling was an affirmation of medical science and the rights of women to make personal healthcare decisions.

Years of hostile legislation and defunding women's healthcare have significantly damaged Texas' healthcare safety net. While this ruling opens up the possibility of restoring safe, legal abortion in some Texas communities, unfortunately it will not happen

overnight. Please know this is a top priority. We will do all we can to ensure Texas women can access the healthcare they need, including safe, legal abortion, and will restore services if possible.

With your ongoing support, we will continue celebrating victories and providing essential healthcare and education in the communities we serve. **Thank you** for standing with Planned Parenthood!



Ken Lambrecht
President & CEO

READY FOR THE SEMESTER? START HEALTHY

As the new school year approaches, it's a great time to consider the healthcare needs of your teen or college student. Well-woman checks, birth control, and the HPV vaccine (for males and females) are all important ways to keep your student healthy and safe, and on the road to reaching their long-term goals.

Make an appointment at a Planned Parenthood health center near you for expert healthcare. Texans have trusted for more than 80 years. Visit **ppgreater.tx.org** to make an appointment online or call **1-800-230-PLAN**.



Cedar Hill Health Center

FORT WORTH TEENS SHOW SUPPORT

In May, Temple Emanuel of Beverly Hills' Teen Civic Group in Fort Worth, led by Rabbi Sarah Bassin, chose one of Planned Parenthood's health centers as the recipient of their donations. **Thank you!**

Dear Planned Parenthood: Fort Worth
As a pro choice teenage girl, I really appreciate you being one of the few abortion clinics in Texas. I know it is becoming harder for women to get abortions and freedom, so thank you for standing strong and making a difference.
Sincerely,

COMMUNITY SERVICES OPPORTUNITY FOR TEENS

Beginning this fall, teens in Austin and Dallas will have a new way to build leadership skills and meet community service hours through Planned Parenthood's Youth LEAD (Leaders in Education, Advocacy, and Diversity) program.

Youth LEAD participants will receive education on topics important to teens such as sexual health and healthy dating relationships.



To learn more or apply for Youth LEAD, email volunteer@ppgt.org.



Austin Annual Dinner Keynote Dahlia Lithwick

SAVE THESE DATES

September 18

Austin Annual Dinner
Keynote Speaker Dahlia Lithwick

September 22

North Texas Giving Day

October 13

Dallas Cocktails for a Cause

November 2

Fort Worth Cocktails for a Cause

October 20

Waco Cocktails for a Cause

March 1, 2017

Fort Worth Annual Awards Luncheon

March 2-3, 2017

Amplify Austin

March 8, 2017

Dallas Annual Awards Luncheon

Advance reservations required and sponsorships available. Please call 855.314.0799 ext 10183 or email events@ppgt.org for more info.

PROUD TO CARE

Working at Planned Parenthood allows you to make a difference in the lives of Texans every day. Learn more about our employment opportunities by visiting ppgreatertx.org and clicking "Jobs" on the left side menu.

YOUR PARTNER FOR A HEALTHY COMMUNITY

Connecting in our communities for a healthier Texas



Planned Parenthood staff and Board volunteers at the Susan G. Komen Austin awards luncheon.



Staff and supporters in Waco celebrate the historic U.S. Supreme Court decision.



Planned Parenthood outreach at the AIDS Walk in South Dallas.



City of Austin/Travis County Youth Employment participants and staff following a presentation in July.