

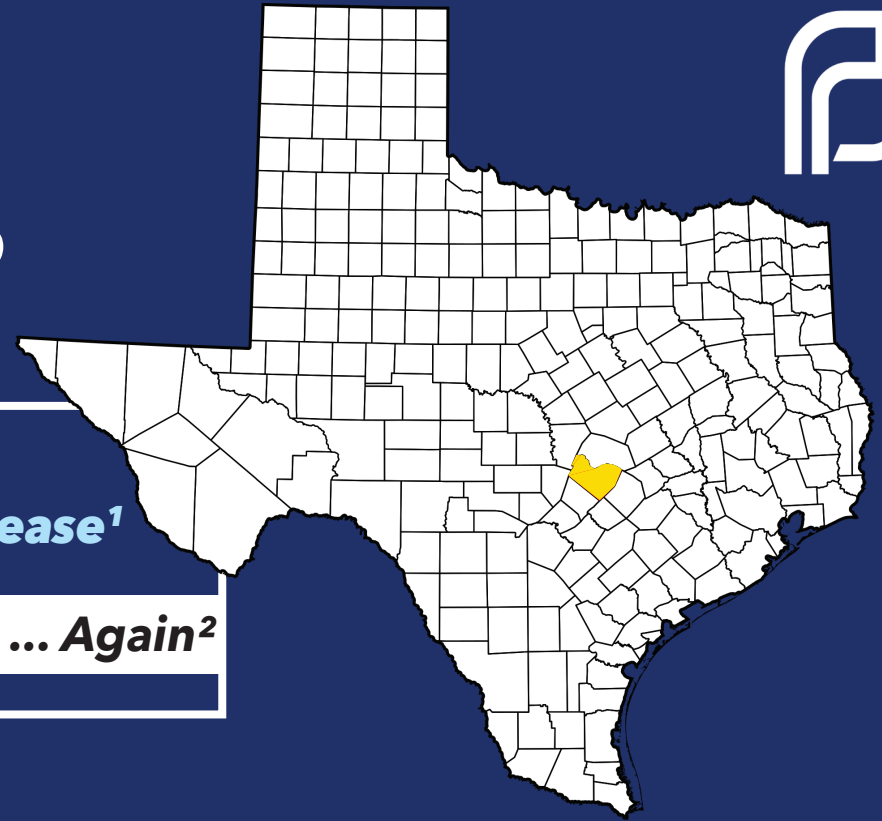


# Travis County: at risk by SB22/HB1929

## RECENT HEADLINES:

*City Council Extends Planned Parenthood Lease<sup>1</sup>*

*Legislator Taking Aim at Planned Parenthood ... Again<sup>2</sup>*



## Travis County

per every 100,000 people\*



**24.3** people are diagnosed with HIV  
compared to **14** nationally

**732.5** people are diagnosed with chlamydia  
compared to **497.3** nationally

## Care. No matter what.

### Downtown Austin Health Center

1823 E. 7th Street  
Austin, TX

### North Austin Health Center

9041 Research Blvd #250  
Austin, TX

### South Austin Health Center

201 E. Ben White Blvd  
Austin, TX

# PROTECT LOCAL HEALTHCARE.

SB 22/HB 1929 blocks local governments from partnering with Planned Parenthood in ANY way through a ban any “taxpayer resource transactions” between local governmental entities and Planned Parenthood. The term “taxpayer resource transactions” is 100% political and is so vague that it would create sweeping and damaging public health barriers to how Planned Parenthood provides healthcare and education in the communities we serve.

*Planned Parenthood’s health center on East 7th Street in Austin has been a trusted healthcare and education resource for decades. Owned by the City of Austin and leased to Planned Parenthood since 1974, Planned Parenthood’s current \$1/year lease reflects the Austin community’s support for accessible healthcare and was approved unanimously by the Austin City Council in 2010 and by a 10-1 vote by the Austin City Council in 2018.*

*In 2018, 88% of Planned Parenthood’s patients at the E. 7th health center had incomes at or below 300% of the federal poverty level. Healthcare services were provided to 5,153 patients including 1,595 birth control visits (including IUDs and implants, long-acting reversible contraception), 11,371 STD tests and treatments (including HIV tests), cervical and breast cancer screenings, and other essential preventive healthcare screenings.*

Healthcare is local. Communities are healthiest when local healthcare providers can collaborate – let’s keep it that way.

## Public Health Risks by SB22/HB 1929:

- Undermines local control
- Reduces access to healthcare when too many Texans already are uninsured and medically underserved
- Bans city and county governments from marshaling critical healthcare resources for disease outbreaks like Zika, STDs, and in times of natural disaster



Planned Parenthood of Greater Texas

[ppgreatertx.org](http://ppgreatertx.org)



\*Data provided by the CDC, 2016

<sup>1</sup> Tuma, M. (2019, March 22). Lege Lines: Taking Aim at Planned Parenthood ... Again. Retrieved from [https://www.austinchronicle.com/news/2019-03-22/lege-lines-taking-aim-at-planned-parenthood-again/rise-in-sexually-transmitted-diseases-reported-in-el-paso/article\\_fb1815bd-8070-570b-80e2-9ef2de66a9ac.html](https://www.austinchronicle.com/news/2019-03-22/lege-lines-taking-aim-at-planned-parenthood-again/rise-in-sexually-transmitted-diseases-reported-in-el-paso/article_fb1815bd-8070-570b-80e2-9ef2de66a9ac.html)

<sup>2</sup> City Council Extends Planned Parenthood Lease. (2018, November 1). Retrieved from <https://spectrumlocalnews.com/tx/austin/news/2018/11/02/austin-extends-planned-parenthood-lease>