

Planned Parenthood of Greater Texas



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.

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 18 years of healthcare experience.

Number of years with Planned Parenthood:

4 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 Physicians, Women's Health Care Nurse Practitioners, Family Nurse Practitioners, Certified Nurse Midwives, Physician Assistants, and other advanced levels of certification and licensure.

Despite the Texas Legislature's latest abortion restrictions and the U.S. Senate's latest efforts attempting to block funding for Medicaid patients, our mission and services continue, thanks to your support. Educators are providing teen pregnancy prevention workshops and clinicians are providing trusted healthcare in the communities we serve. Online scheduling now lets patients make health center appointments anytime, and our period

tracking app (Spot On) offers 24/7 chats with healthcare experts. With your support, we'll continue to find new ways to expand healthcare and education and our doors will remain open, no matter what.

Thank you.

Ken Lambrecht

Ken Lambrecht President & CEO

Transgender Patients Choose Planned Parenthood

In April, Planned Parenthood expanded health services for transgender Texans to include gender affirming hormone therapy at our Plano and North Austin health centers.

To learn more, visit ppgreatertx.org/transgendercare or call 1-800-230-PLAN.

"This was a wonderful, positive, affirming experience for me. Staff were so respectful. Thank you so much for being amazing!"

-PP patient



Ads like these will appear in the *Dallas Voice*, *Austin Chronicle*, and online this fall.

Breast Health at Planned Parenthood



Age 21-39 breast exam every 1-3 years

Age 40-75 breast exam & mammogram yearly Planned Parenthood joins other healthcare providers to promote Breast Cancer Awareness Month this October.

Challenges were created by the 2015 Texas Legislature's ban on Planned Parenthood health centers from the federal Breast and Cervical Cancer Screening program.

Despite this damaging policy, in 2016 more than 8,000 patients received clinical breast exams, and mammography referrals at Planned Parenthood due to private donations and funding from Susan G. Komen affiliates. Make an appointment at ppgreatertx.org or call 1-800-230-PLAN.









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Youth LEAD Program Marks One Year

Youth LEAD (Leaders in Education, Advocacy, and Diversity) offers the opportunity for teens in Austin and Dallas to earn community service hours and develop leadership skills through volunteering for Planned Parenthood. The program is now in year two with more than 100 young people trained.

To learn more, visit: ppgreatertx.org/youthlead



Youth LEAD Training in Austin, April 2017

YOUR PARTNER FOR A HEALTHY COMMUNITY

Connecting in our communities for a healthier Texas



Supporters from around Texas participated in Planned Parenthood's Capitol Takeover on July 26, and met with Representative Toni Rose during the Texas Legislature's "Special Session."



In June, more than 65 Planned Parenthood volunteers in Fort Worth joined a '90's Pub Crawl to "pink out the night" and raise more than \$1,500 for Planned Parenthood.



Planned Parenthood hosted period kit making events in Dallas, Fort Worth, and Waco for people displaced by Hurricane Harvey. Hundreds of volunteers exceeded the goal of 300 kits to create more than 5.000.



Planned Parenthood volunteers and staff joined the Waco Juneteenth parade.

SAVE THESE DATES FOR UPCOMING FUNDRAISERS

October 5, 2017

Fort Worth

Cocktails for a Cause

ARTSPACE111

October 12, 2017

Waco

Cocktails for a Cause

Location shared upon RSVP

October 19, 2017 **Dallas Cocktails for a Cause** *Conduit Gallery*

November 12, 2017 **Austin Annual Dinner** *Hyatt Regency Austin*

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



Dr. Ella Bell Smith, 2017 Austin Annual Dinner Keynote Speaker. To learn more about Dr. Smith, watch her dynamic presentation on gender equity at https://youtu.be/Fe7mv9iwqc4.