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## Abortion Clinic Horrors

### Abortion medical resident

*NY Times: Who Will Do Abortions Here? By Jack Hitt, 1-18-1998*

**Quote:** as a resident he was willing to perform abortions but referred to the (legal) abortion clinics as "factories."

### Abortion patient

caller on the O'Reilly Factor  
*The O'Reilly Factor Transcript 10-13-2005*

**Quote:** "I had an abortion in Anaheim without my parents' knowledge. The doctor performing the operation molested me, knowing I would not tell. I will vote yes on parental notification."

### Abortion patient

*National Review: "Complete Disregard" 11-23-98/  
[http://www.findarticles.com/p/articles/mi\\_m1282/is\\_1998\\_Nov\\_23/ai\\_53209357](http://www.findarticles.com/p/articles/mi_m1282/is_1998_Nov_23/ai_53209357)*

**Quote:** "...there were times when there was blood and urine all over the place . . . . There were so many patients that staff had to step over them. The patient that delivered in front of me was on the floor with her head near one of the doors. She was screaming and asking God to help her."

### Abortion patient

*Accomplices in Incest, Case Study: By "Doris Kalasky, Post Abortion Review: Elliot Institute*

**Quote:** "Shut up and quit that yelling!" Is what this patient said the abortionist told her. She continued, "This man arrived at the hospital, talked with my parents and decided to do the abortion, without speaking to me. I refused and tried to get off the examining table. He then asked three nurses to hold me while he strapped me to the bed and injected me with a muscle relaxant to keep me from struggling while he prepared to kill my baby. I continued to scream that I didn't want an abortion." (The woman claimed her father raped her at the age of 15 and that is why he paid for the abortion).

### Abortion Patient

*The Birmingham News, Clinic's closing renews debate, Summit patients dismayed by care received :5-21-2006*

**Quote:** "I was scared for my life, I was at a loss for words. It was crazy. I don't think they should be allowed to reopen. That's dealing with someone's life. If they can't do it right, they don't need to even be open." this patient told the Birmingham News after word that another patient of the Summit Medical (abortion) Center had serious complications after her abortion.

### Abortion Patient

*The Desert Sun, Doctor accused of negligence in abortion keeps license: 12-8-2001*

**Quote:** "How many more women have to go through this?" she said. "They should have taken his (abortionist Joseph Durante) license away." stated, Ann Marie Santana, following complications she suffered from an abortion at Durante's clinic.

### Abortionist

*Lime 5, Miami Herald, 9-17-1989*

**Quote:** "It looked like the baby had been half eaten by a dog," is what an emergency room physician declared after removing a partially aborted fetus from an abortion-injured woman. The woman stated that earlier that day the abortionist had told her the abortion was, "complete and uneventful."

### Alan Zarkin

abortionist, Dr. Zorro  
*Developing Teachers.com –August 2000 newsletter / BBC News Online: 2-4-00 / Queens*

*Courier: March 16-22,2000 / NY DOH 2/3/00-13 OPA / Choices Women's Medical Center, Website*

**Quote:** "I feel like a branded animal. I now have a three-inch high letters carved permanently into my flesh," said one of Zarkin's patients after he carved his initials in her abdomen.

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**Alicia Ruiz Hanna**

abortion clinic owner

*Orange County Register Clinic owner prevented 911 call, aide says;8-24-1993*

**Quote:** Abortion clinic receptionist Irasema Mendoza testified."I told her to call the paramedics. I took the phone to call the paramedics but Alicia grabbed it away from me and hung up.She told me not to call them because I was going to get her into problems. "  
(NOTE: the woman receiving the abortion died)

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**Ana Rose**

founder, Abortion Clinics Online

*The Body Politic, Vol. 7, No. 3 - March 1997, Page 15, Ann Rose -- Not Afraid of the "A" Word By, Interview by Anne Bower*

**Quote:** Question: " We know that there are some clinics that aren't up to the standards the pro-choice community would like. How do you think the pro-choice community should deal with this?" She responded, "That's a really tough issue. I would like to see a national entity like the Joint Commission of Accreditation of Hospitals that would oversee the nation's clinics."

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**Anne Hawkins**

abortion patient

*NY Times, Scientists Will Gather to Discuss Safety of Abortion Pill: 5-11-2006*

**Quote:** Anne Hawkins, 36, of New York, said she, had both pill-based and surgical abortions. But taking RU-486, she said, "was the worst experience, the most physically and emotionally painful thing, that I've ever been through. The pill (RU-486) for me was the experience of having a baby. Contractions for 10 hours, sweating, screaming, being by myself. It was emotionally scarring and physically horrible."

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**Barbara Lofton**

abortion clinic administrator

*The Washington Post 2 Tragedies Raise Doubts About Suitland Clinic;Abortion Patient, Left Paralyzed, Files Suit:8-13-1990*

**Quote:** After Susanne Renee Logan was left severely paralyzed following her abortion at the Hillview Women's Medical Surgical abortion clinic in Suitland Maryland the clinic's administrator Barbara Lofton said this to shift blame, "If you provide a certain number [of abortions], no matter how good you are, no matter what the qualifications are, there are sometimes circumstances. There are probably no facilities without some complications." And in response to accusations that the clinic did not know how to handle an emergency situation-she had this to say, "Obviously, the report from the paramedics was written by a pro-life person. There were many fabrications in the report."

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**Benjamin Graber**

abortionist , former Florida State Representative, Broward County Mayor

*St. Petersburg Times, House leaders trade shots: 1-12-1989*

**Quote:** "It was not an obvious case of child abuse, she came in with her mother. It was legal. It was out front, " commented Graber defending his reasons as to why he failed to report the 10-year-old child's pregnancy to authorities for possible child abuse after he performed an abortion on her. The little girl's father was arrested two years later for sexually abusing two of his daughters.

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**Brian Finkel**

abortionist

*ABC 20/20:A Woman's Right, A Woman's Risk: 3-8-1999/Phoenix News Times 8-28-2003 / Arizona Republic 3-3-2004/ East Valley Tribune 11-26-2004/ Arizona Board of Osteopathic Examiners Case # 3287 + 2989*

**Quote:** "There's a rubric for people that own these (abortion) clinics. They're known as "the slum lords of abortion, because they really try to have as marginal a facility as possible to maximize their profit. Unfortunately, you have these back alley- like (legal) abortion mills, and I will call them a mill.... these slum lords that take advantage of women who desperately need health care. I'm going to catch a lot of flack for telling the truth, but there are a lot of places like this." (Finkel has since been sentenced to time in the Arizona State Prison for raping his abortion patients. One of Finkel's victims told the paper that she, "hopes he dies in prison." Another victim stated, " I could see that he wasn't sorry for anything that happened.")

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**Brian Finkel**

abortionist

*deposition tapes*

**Quote:** Abortionist Brian Finkel was accused of sexually molesting several of his abortion patients, here are some excerpts from taped interviews from eyewitnesses to these crimes, Question, "Would Finkel wake patients by placing his hands on their breasts?" Answer, "Yes sir, it's true, that's true. I've seen that...we've even told his wife." Another employee stated, "If she was attractive, he'd find a way to be alone with the patient." Finkel consistently denied these charges and said he was never alone with any of his patients. Another employee said this, "He's like a monster...he told K.C. (employee) he'd pay to get her teeth done if she'd give him a \*\*\*\* (slang for oral sex)."

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**Brian Finkel**

abortionist

*20/20 A woman's right, a woman's risk 3-8-1999*

**Quote:** Was asked this question by 20/20 during an investigation into another clinic chain where several women had died, "Is it unusual for someone to die of an abortion?" Finkel responded, "It happens. I mean, you can have an unexpected catastrophe. But perforating a lady's uterus and letting her bleed to death unattended in a recovery room is unacceptable." (Note: The clinic in question had delayed calling an ambulance for the bleeding patient)

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**Brian Finkel**

abortionist

*The Arizona Republic, Finkel sexual-abuse case likely to go to jury today: 10-29-2003*

**Quote:** Finkel's defense attorney Richard Gierloff said many of the 35 women who claimed Finkel twisted their nipples or strummed their genitals never wanted to testify. "They just wanted to stand in the back of the mob and throw bricks at Dr. Finkel. Some of his patients are narcissistic, manipulative human beings," He also argued that the 35 women who complained are insignificant, compared to the patients that have never had a complaint. (NOTE: in a world where abortion is a "woman's right" it is ironic that one who defends abortion would consider 35 women "insignificant")

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**Bruce Steir**

abortionist

*Press Enterprise Plea changed to guilty in abortion case: An agreement to a lesser charge is reached as the murder trial was about to begin: 4-6-2000*

**Quote:** "I plead guilty, your honor." Steir said when he was about to be tried on a murder charge after the death of one of his abortion patients. He plead guilty to involuntary manslaughter rather than face the charges.

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**Bruce Steir**

abortionist

*Press Enterprise, Care at clinic questioned; The physician owner of the Moreno facility, who fired another doctor over an abortion-related death, is himself on probation: 12-20-1996*

**Quote:** "I made the perforation unknowingly. It must have been just a small area and bled slowly. Had I diagnosed her as a perforation, I would not have sent her home. I would have sent her to the hospital and she probably would be alive today. "

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**Carol Downer**

Feminist Women's Health Centers

*Press Enterprise, Plea changed to guilty in abortion case: An agreement to a lesser charge is reached as the murder trial was about to begin: 4-6-2000*

**Quote:** Made this comment after abortionist Bruce Steir plead guilty to involuntary manslaughter following the death of one of his patients, "I'm incredibly sad. There was no case, I'm sure this will give heart to people who want to attack (abortion) doctors." (NOTE: where is the sympathy for the woman?)

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**Daniel Holschauer**

abortionist

*NY State Board of Professional Medical Conduct Case # BPMC 01-99 / The Times Herald: 1-06-01*

**Quote:** Following surgery on one patient, he was reported to have removed the gauze from her vagina and state, "you know, I would really like to be there." He was then reported to pull his pants down and tell the woman, " I just did you a favor, now you do me a favor."

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**Hannah Selinger**

reporter

*The Raw Story, The real state of abortion rights, before Alito , 01/12/2006 by Hannah Selinger*

**Quote:** "In all the years I have spent writing and thinking about a woman's right to choose, I have never set foot in an abortion clinic, because I have never needed to. In my mind, I had always pictured a clean and comfortable place...This was no Westchester clinic. The place was dirty and dark and the women in the room outside were standing, as there were no chairs. A woman beside me was crying. . In the press, the issue of the right to choose will be reduced to the terminology of precedent and privacy. But the visceral reality of abortion—the grimy clinic, the sobbing and hapless young woman...cannot be understood by such

desensitized vocabulary. The truth of the matter is, even in our richest cities, in a country where abortion is technically legal and Constitutionally protected, abortion is still a dirty word." (Describing her trip to an abortion clinic)

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**Irasema Mendoza**

abortion clinic receptionist

*Orange County Register Clinic owner prevented 911 call, aide says; 8-24-1993*

**Quote:** Testimony following the death of a patient, "as soon as she started giving her the anesthesia, the lady started to foam from the mouth and her body started to turn blue."

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**Krishna Rajanna**

abortionist

*The Pitch 6-16-05 / State of Kansas Board of Healing Arts case # 05-HA-58 / Statement of Detective William Howard to the House Committee on Health and Human Services 3-15-2005*

**Quote:** "Trash was everywhere and roaches crawling across the countertops, with a smell of stench in the room. My partner observed the procedure room was filthy, he told me he saw dried blood on the floor and the room looked nasty to him. In a statement to me, one witness related how Rajanna was a filthy man who did not properly sterilize his equipment. I thought I had seen every vile, disgusting crime scene but was in for a shock when I started this investigation," stated a police officer who was called to Rajanna's Kansas (legal) abortion clinic.

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**Laurence A. Reich**

abortionist

*CNN, Anderson Cooper 360 degrees December 2, 2005 Friday, Transcript #120202CN.V98 Gynecologist Accused Of Numerous Molestations Continues To Sees Women And Practice Medicine, Despite Complaints From New Victims*

**Quote:** Sexual abuse allegations against abortionist Reich were alleged by abortion patient Yvette Chambers. She told CNN in an interview that, "she was in the exam room with her feet in the stirrups, Reich, the only other person in the room." Another victim said this, "You're naked from your waist down. And you're legs are spread. And you feel extremely vulnerable. I was questioning myself as to why I felt so uncomfortable. Because it's a doctor, he's a doctor." She said after the exam he asked to take her out, "He offered to take me to lunch. At that point I realized -- Ewe! Ewe! I have just been molested! I have just been violated." A third victim told CNN this, "You're in a precarious situation with your feet in stirrups and this doctor examining you. You're pretty vulnerable, right there. And so when you're feeling like something's not right and you're in that position, you -- there's really no option for you to escape at that point. I just knew in my gut that something was wrong. I was scared."

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**Laurence A. Reich**

abortionist

*CNN, Anderson Cooper 360 degrees December 2, 2005 Friday, Transcript #120202CN.V98 Gynecologist Accused Of Numerous Molestations Continues To Sees Women And Practice Medicine, Despite Complaints From New Victims*

**Quote:** CNN reported that medical board complaints against Reich stated that, "One woman says that Reich was touching her genitals during an exam and asked her if it, quote, "felt good" and then "kissed" her. Another claims Reich was "sexually excited" during an exam and told her she needed to "lubricate" herself through self stimulation so that he could properly diagnose an infection. Another woman says Reich asked her to, quote, "manipulate" herself in front of him and then after the exam she says Reich to demonstrate an oral sex technique on his thumb."

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**Lee Thompson**

attorney for late-term abortionist, George Tiller

*Seattle-Post Intelligencer, Kan. abortion foes petition for grand jury, 4-5-2006*

**Quote:** "The clinic respects the privacy of its patients, and continues to express condolences to the family, it is unfortunate that some have chosen to exploit this matter of personal grief for political purposes." (Comments about a grand jury petition drive underway to ask for an investigation into the death of one of abortionist George Tiller's patients) .

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**Malachy Dehenre**

abortionist

*The Clarion-Ledger, Suspended doc: Didn't like doing 35,000 abortions: 3-18-2005*

**Quote:** Speaking about an abortion after which a woman died at Summit Medical Center in Birmingham. "I was thinking, 'I didn't do anything wrong.' The patient was in trouble, and I sent her to the hospital."

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**Margaret Wooten**

abortion clinic nurse, Inglewood Women's Hospital a late term abortion clinic

*LA Times, Doctor accused in abortion suite testifies, 7-30-1989, her comments are from a malpractice case*

**Quote:** " It was just a slaughterhouse and I couldn't take it any more." (Responding to how the women were treated at the (legal) abortion facility where several women died).

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**Marvin Lutz**

president, the Florida Abortion Council  
*St. Petersburg Times, Abortion clinic closed; tougher rules on hold: 9-26-1989*

**Quote:** "No matter how many regulations you write, people (abortionists) are going to operate illegally." (Comments after several (legal) abortion clinics in Florida were closed for deplorable conditions).

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**Moshe Hachamovitch**

abortionist  
*20/20 A woman's right, a woman's risk 3-8-1999*

**Quote:** 20/20 investigated three clinics one in Phoenix, NY, and Houston where several abortion patients had died. The attorney for one of the victim's said this about Hachamovitch . " It was really a case of an assembly line, conducting abortions, one after another, three to five minutes apart, " stated attorney Kenneth Weisen.

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**Peter Brownlie**

president, Planned Parenthood of Kansas  
*The Wichita Eagle: Veto Stays Intact on Abortion Clinic Bill: 4-29-2005*

**Quote:** "He should be shut down." (Peter Brownlie,president, Planned Parenthood of Kansas said, Commenting about a legal Kansas abortionist whose conditions at his clinic were unsanitary).

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**Rodolfo Finkelstein**

abortionist  
*MDCH review of license # 4301043190 / Detroit Press 9-3-04/ The Daily Oakland Press: 2-26-05, 3-9-05, 3-22-05/ Detroit Okland News: 3-10-05, 3-15-05/*

**Quote:** "I just wanted to see the doctor get in trouble. The money is not an issue for me, " Commented one of Finkelstein's patients after he tried to bribe her with \$200,000.00 to keep her from testifying against him. A 21-year-old patient testified to inappropriate touching and penetration by Finkelstein. A 19-year-old patient said Finkelstein squeezed her buttocks and kissed her following a post-abortion exam. Finkelstein's patients ranged from 17 to 21 years old and testified to being groped and kissed during exams.

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**Stephen Pack**

abortionist  
*NY Post 4-15-2000/4-18-2000/5-25-2000/4-21-2000/ NY State Board of Professional Misconduct Order # BPMC-00-130/ NY Post, Doctor stabbed pregnant girlfriend: cops: 4-15-2000*

**Quote:** "Are you going to have an abortion or not?"

and

"I am going to give you an abortion!"

This is what witnesses told police Pack yelled as he stabbed his girl friend repeatedly with a syringe. The NY State Board of Professional Medical Conduct stated that Pack "administered an injunction of methotrexate to a patient who did not seek or consent to an injection".

Pack's girlfriend told reporters that he is a, "pathetic excuse for a human being. He is a vicious, wild animal who belongs in a cage."

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**Summit Medical Center of Alabama, Inc**

abortion clinic  
*Montgomery Advisor: Abortion clinic closed: 5-19-2006/ State Board of Health for the State of Alabama: Emergency Order of License of Suspension:5-17-2006 / AP and Montgomery Advertiser: Abortion doctor, nurse suspended: 5-22-2006*

**Quote:** "It was nearly full term," said State health officer, Dr. Donald Williamson after an abortion was botched by the Summit Medical Center (abortion clinic). One of Summit's abortion patients went to the emergency room after their abortion with a 6 pound baby protruding from her. State Health Officials used an "emergency order" to close the Summit Medical (abortion) Center in Birmingham after the clinic was found dispensing RU-486 without a doctor.

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**Tati Okereke**

abortionist  
*The California Medical Board #11593*

**Quote:** "What are you doing?" screamed one of Okereke's patients, she accused Okereke of injecting her with anesthetics, then engaging in sexual intercourse with her without permission. One woman testified that she could not move any muscles during this ordeal,

but just kept crying. Another patient testified that after Okereke examined her vagina that he licked his finger. She said the doctor tried to pay her of to keep her quiet following the incident. Okereke was accused of fondling a female patient's breast without medical justification He subsequently was accused of engaging in sexual intercourse with her without her consent.

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**Theresa Jensen**

Clinic Worker, A-Z Women's Center

*20/20 A woman's right, a woman's risk 3-8-1999*

**Quote:** Told 20/20 this after they investigated the death of a woman at that clinic, "We were told that if anybody asks what happened to say that it didn't really happen, it's just a lie that the protesters made up."

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