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Sexual harassment and unsanitary conditions alleged by Ex-Planned Parenthood RN



Delaware Planned Parenthood staffer RN Jayne Mitchell-Werbrich, , who worked at Planned Parenthood Delaware's Dover and Wilmington clinics for 3-1/2 months in 2012, spoke to [Jill Stanek](#) and revealed many troubling aspects of the abortion clinic she walked out of.

Jane [claims](#) she sent documentation and letters of complaint about the abortion clinic to Planned Parenthood who ignored them.

[Other incidents, excerpted from a letter Jane wrote to her bosses \(with slight grammatical editing\):](#)

"During a procedure that another doctor was performing, Dr. Liveright entered the room to see how things were proceeding. The doctors had a conversation regarding the faulty equipment in front of the patient... After the doctors finished their conversation, Dr. Liveright struck the patient's right lateral thigh with force with his opened hand, stating 'BREATHE!' The patient, shocked and puzzled, looked at me as if to say, 'What is he doing?' I suggested that Dr. Liveright must have some sort of unusual technique to help distract patients from the discomfort of the procedure. The patient looked at me, rolled her eyes, held my hand tight, and tried to relax and concentrate on her breathing. That is when Dr.

Liveright peeks around the curtain (as he had not exited the room) and plays peek-a-boo with the patient. The patient then rolls her eyes and shakes her head stating, 'He's not right.' The entire time this is happening, the other doctor is continuing to dilate the patient! I then stated, 'Goodbye Dr. Liveright,' as I pulled the curtain around his head..."

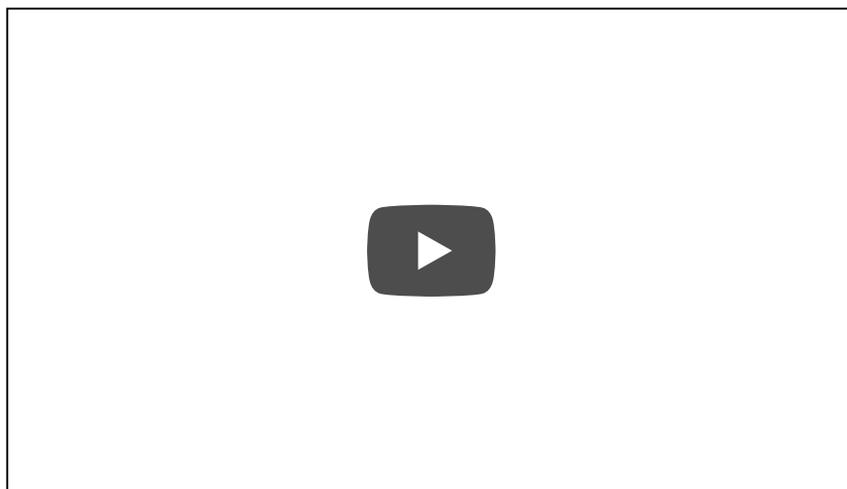
"Sexual harassment: I have noted Dr. Liveright inappropriately look up and down patients as well as staff members in a sexual kind of way. He actually stands back with a grin and slowly directs his eyes up and down a patient's body."

Jayne said management told her Liveright had previously been disciplined for sexual harassment against a staff member.

Jayne's letter also described Liveright as a **racist** in a bizarre incident with an African-American patient:

"Dr. Liveright enters the room... and states... 'Did you know that the Belgians took over Africa and did really bad things?'... He continues to carry this conversation on with himself while he roughly dilates and then belittles the patient... (by the way, a patient that is crying and holding on to my hand tight, as I try to distract her from him)... He states, 'The United States does the same thing. Did you know that?' The patient, with tears falling down her cheeks, shakes her head, indicating, 'No,' which Dr. Liveright replies, 'I didn't think you'd know anything about that. Yup, the United States is a big bully.'"

Jane is one of two former employees of Planned Parenthood Delaware – both registered nurses – have publicly called for investigations into the operation's practices.



"What I believe should happen is that Planned Parenthood should no longer be self-regulated," said Joyce Vasikonis, a Dover nurse who also worked at the Wilmington site. Vasikonis was interim surgical services manager when she resigned last August.

Vasikonis describes herself as "radically pro-abortion," but said she could not continue to work under the conditions she saw.

"I feel like a woman has a right to abortion for whatever reason she chooses," she said. "But she should know all of her options and understand what she is consenting to and she should have a safe procedure. That was not what was happening there. It got to the point

where I could not stand it another day. I said, **'I am going to lose my license if I stay here.'** "

Jayne Mitchell-Werbrich of Newark could not bear the conditions, either. She worked part time for about three months, kept copious notes, pressed for reforms and resigned last August.

"I cannot continue to work in such an unsafe, unhealthy and hostile environment," she wrote in her resignation email.

Abortion protesters who picketed the Wilmington facility said last month they assisted a patient there after a botched abortion that forced her to seek emergency hospital treatment.

That patient has retained Colorado-based attorney Michael Norton, senior counsel for the Alliance Defending Freedom, which promotes religious liberty and First Amendment protections.



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Wilmington Center (DE) – Wilmington, DE

625 N Shipley Street
Wilmington, DE 19801

p: 302.222.7293 | f: 302.222.4470

Operated by: Planned Parenthood of Delaware

HOURS OF OPERATION

	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat	Sun
Open	8:00am	11:00am	8:00am	8:00am	8:00am	--	--
Close	4:30pm	7:30pm	4:30pm	4:30pm	4:30pm	--	--

Note: Patient notice: temporary change in abortion services. Patient care is our top priority, and for that reason we have made some modifications to clinical hours while we conduct administrative functions, including new staff training.

Patients seeking abortion care can make appointments for medication abortion services, however patients seeking in-clinic abortion services will be referred to another provider. Please feel free to call us to make an appointment or receive a referral.

Werbrich alleges conditions inside the facility were **unsanitary**. "He didn't wear gloves," said Werbrich.

Who is HE?? Timothy Liveright is who Jane said was Planned Parenthood's abortionist



Tim Liveright
 Physician at Planned Parenthood Federation of America
 Wysox, Pennsylvania (Scranton, Pennsylvania Area) | Hospital & Health Care

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Tim Liveright's Overview

Current: **Physician at Planned Parenthood Federation of America**
 Connections: **1 connection**

Tim Liveright's Experience

Physician
Planned Parenthood Federation of America
 Nonprofit, 201-500 employees, Hospital & Health Care Industry
 Currently holds this position

*Amelia Auner, spokeswoman for Planned Parenthood Delaware, confirmed that **Dr. Timothy Liveright**, who performed abortions in Wilmington, and **Gloria Johnson**, who was vice president of medical services, no longer are employed by the organization. It was not clear if their departures were related to the recent investigations. Efforts to reach Liveright and Johnson on Tuesday were unsuccessful.*

Past records indicate Eric Schaff as a former medical director for Planned Parenthood:



Planned Parenthood abortionist and trainer Eric Schaff.

Medical Director **Eric Schaff** took home \$100,000 in 2006 ([here](#))

In 1997, Dr. **Schaff** was trained by Planned Parenthood of New York City in surgical abortion. "I felt inadequate because I had to rely on other physicians for medication abortion complications. Since I learned these surgical skills, I feel empowered as a clinician because I can provide complete reproductive healthcare."

Apparently- this Planned Parenthood cannot find experienced abortionists, they have to request medical students !!

And in 2006, a woman sued Planned Parenthood after an abortion they performed landed her in the hospital with an ectopic pregnancy. The doctor on record at that time was **GAILYN B. THOMAS, M.D** Read [here](#).

Another former employee, Joyce Vasikonis told Action News, "They were using instruments on patients that were **not sterile**." The former nurses claim that a rush to get patients in and out left operating tables soiled and unclean.

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ERIC SCHAFF 625 SHIPLEY STREET, WILMINGTON, DE 198		MEDICAL DIRECTOR	28.00	100,000.	10,600.
JESSICA WILSON 625 SHIPLEY STREET, WILMINGTON, DE 198		CFO	35.00	63,440.	2,538.
DIANE TREACY 625 SHIPLEY STREET, WILMINGTON, DE 198		VP OF DEVELOPMENT	28.00	51,286.	2,051.
DEQUILLA HURFORD 625 SHIPLEY STREET, WILMINGTON, DE 198		VP OF MEDICAL SERV.	35.00	60,000.	2,400.
SUZANNE COHEN 625 SHIPLEY STREET, WILMINGTON, DE 198		VP OF PUBLIC AFFAIRS	28.00	50,752.	6,645.
Total number of other employees paid over \$50,000		▶ 6			

Details

Clinical opportunities available:	Abortion More details (PDF)
Eligibility:	1st year medical students 2nd year medical students 3rd year medical students 4th year medical students Residents
Approximate cost to student	
Housing & Food	Participant's responsibility
In country transportation	Participant's responsibility
Stipend/scholarship	Not available
Type of housing available:	Participant's responsibility
Languages spoken:	English
Facility setting:	Clinic
Nearest regional or international airport:	Philadelphia International Airport
Average number of students hosted annually:	15
Medical professionals on site:	MD

Contact Information

Mailing address:	625 N. Shipley Street
City:	Wilmington
State/Province:	Delaware
Country:	USA
Zip:	19801
Site phone:	(302) 377-8614
Contact name:	Dr. Eric Schaff
Contact email:	eschaff@ppdel.org
How to apply:	Email or call site contact

Werbrich said **"It's not washed down, it's not even cleaned off. It has bloody drainage on it."**

"They could be at risk of getting hepatitis, even AIDS," added Vasikonis. Both of these nurses said, they quit to protect their own medical licenses, stunned by what they called a meat-market style of assembly-line abortions.

Vasikonis said, "I felt I could be held liable if a patient was harmed."

"Planned Parenthood needs to close its doors, it's needs to be

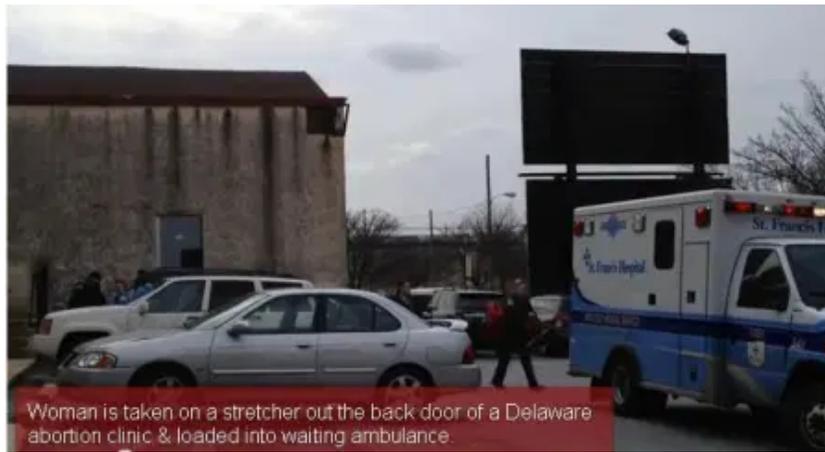
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JACQUELINE COOKE 4 MORGAN LANE, WILMINGTON, DE 19808	NURSE 35	61,679.	7,299.		
JESSICA WILSON 2304 DELAWARE AVE, WILMINGTON, DE 19806	VP OF FINANCE 35	51,333.	2,240.		
HELEN COSTIS 1405 N RODNEY STREET #1, WILMINGTON, DE 19806	VP OF ADMIN 35	56,157.	7,020.		
KARLA MCFARLAND 702 RAILROAD AVE, BRYN MAWR PA 19010	VP PAT SERV 35	60,035.	7,230.		
GAILYN THOMAS 3 BLACKTHORN RD, WALLINGFORD PA 19086	MEDICAL DIR 35	118,221.	5,000.		
Total number of other employees paid					



cleaned up, the staff needs to be trained, said Werbrich.”

According to the news station, Since January 4th, five patients allegedly have been rushed from the facility to the emergency room, again placing the clinic in the spotlight.

Pro-lifers have documented several of those incidents:



In February of 2013, a woman was taken by stretcher out the back of Planned Parenthood in Wilmington to a local emergency medical center following a botched abortion. She was loaded into a St. Francis Hospital ambulance, according to Rae Stabosz of Newark, Delaware...It was the third such event witnessed by pro-lifers in a two-year period.

Grandmother on violent pro-choice attack at ...



Woman taken in ambulance from Planned Pa...



Operation Rescue has published newly obtained 911 recordings of two medical emergencies at Planned Parenthood in Wilmington, Delaware, which took place on February 8, and 16, 2013.

In both cases, patients were transported to a local hospital with abortion complications that could not be managed by abortionists and nurses who attended the women at the clinic.

The 911 recordings were obtained through Freedom of Information Act requests made by a participant in a local 40 Days for Life campaign with the assistance of Operation Rescue. While prayer vigil participants were present for the incident on the 16th, they were unaware that another medical emergency had taken place at that same Planned Parenthood abortion clinic just 8 days earlier until they received the open records files.

"The 911 recordings are important because they expose the inconvenient truth that abortion isn't as safe as the abortion cartel would have you believe," said Troy Newman, President of Operation Rescue and Pro-Life Nation. "Women are maimed and killed by shoddy abortionists on a regular basis, but it is covered up by the clinics, the abortion lobby, and the media. Public records tear way the curtains of secrecy that enables abortionists to abuse women. This helps us warn the public and hold abortionists accountable for their actions."

Patient 1 –February 8, 2013



February 8, 2013, Planned Parenthood called 911 at 1:30 p.m. to ask for assistance for a patient that was **unconscious and struggling to breathe**. Despite the presence of two physicians and three nurses, her condition still required emergency assistance from paramedics.

The caller indicated that they were using an emergency non rebreather on the patient, which is a mask with a flat bag that used in emergency situations to provide oxygen to the patient.

However, the non rebreather seemed inadequate, because the caller told the dispatcher that they were "getting ready to bag" the patient. "Bagging" a patient is done with a hand-held device used to provide positive pressure ventilation to a patient who is not breathing or who is breathing inadequately. It is an emergency resuscitative measure.

Paramedics and an ambulance were dispatched to the scene. The outcome of this patient's medical emergency is unknown.

Patient 2 – February 16, 2013

911-Uncontrolled Bleeding Abortion Emergen...



A second medical emergency at Planned Parenthood in Wilmington, which was witnessed by pro-life activists, took place on February 16. Video was taken by Rae Stabosz during a 40 Days for Life prayer vigil that shows a woman on a gurney with a possible IV bag containing plasma or other blood products.

The partially-redacted 911 recording confirmed that the patient suffered heavy bleeding. The Planned Parenthood employee that placed the call opted for response by paramedics instead of a simple ambulance transfer, indicating that the patient needed emergency care.

She was rushed to St. Francis Hospital for emergency treatment.

These incidents comprise the third and fourth medical emergencies observed or documented by prayer vigil participants at Planned Parenthood in Wilmington over a two-year period.

"We wonder – how often does it happen when we are not there?" asked Stabosz.



[Planned Parenthood abortion patient]

In March of 2013 a woman told protesters her daughter was bleeding from an incomplete abortion which **Planned Parenthood** had performed on her days earlier was taken to the emergency room. Then, at approximately 1:00PM witnesses documented an ambulance arriving at the same Planned Parenthood, and removing another patient.



Pro-Abort Woman Attacks

According to [Operation Rescue](#), A 63-year old Catholic grandmother of 12 was violently attacked outside this Planned Parenthood abortion clinic in Wilmington, Delaware, as she filmed the fourth abortion injury there in less than five weeks.

According to reports, Rae Stabosz had been praying outside the **Planned Parenthood** clinic when a woman and her mother came to the clinic. Rae learned that the woman was suffering complications to an abortion she received on March 8. Rae persuaded them to go to St. Francis hospital where it was discovered that aborted baby body parts, including a leg and foot, had been left behind by the abortionist. The woman required additional surgery and was referred to legal counsel.

Rae left Planned Parenthood to attend mass, and when she returned to the Planned Parenthood, she was shocked to see that yet another medical emergency was in progress. As she was filming the incident with her cell phone, a young woman came out of the Planned Parenthood clinic and violently attacked Rae, knocking her down and taking away her phone.

The attacker took Rae's phone inside the clinic and gave it to a Planned Parenthood worker. Rae immediately ran into the clinic, retrieved her phone, then returned to the street where she continued to film the gurney with the injured patient, covered head to toe in blankets and sheets, being loaded into the ambulance.

The police soon arrived and Rae made a police report, but the attacker

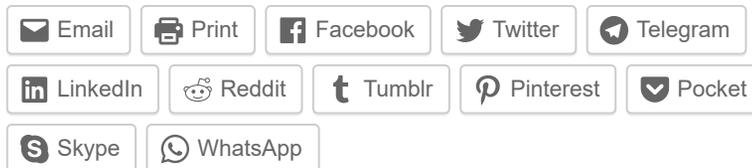


has fled the scene. At this writing, she remained at large.

Rae began to feel the effects of the attack, and another ambulance was summoned to transport her to the same hospital where the two Planned Parenthood patients were receiving treatment. Rae was treated and released with minor injuries.

Action News has learned during our investigation that one doctor and two more nurses at the clinic have mysteriously left.

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