

Respondent: Good afternoon, Cedar River Clinic. This is Katie.

Caller: Yeah. I was wondering are you guys able to do an abortion for me if I'm like 24-25 weeks pregnant?

Respondent: We do. We go up to 25 weeks and six days at our clinic.

Caller: Okay. Because I'm around 24 weeks right now. When is the soonest I could get in?

Respondent: Let me look here. That's going to be a three-day procedure so we need to make sure we can get three days in a row. Okay?

Caller: Okay.

Respondent: Where do you live?

Caller: I live in Renton.

Respondent: Renton. Okay. Well, we don't want to put you too far out because every day that counts against you know the ultrasound. Sometimes the ultrasound could read bigger so that's another thing.

Caller: Okay.

Respondent: So we can start you Monday, November 27th. Now that is in Tacoma. Tuesday would be in Tacoma but you would finish in Renton on Wednesday if you wanted.

Caller: Okay. And how much does the procedure cost approximately?

Respondent: I'll have to have you speak to the financial specialist because it's depending on your income. So do you want to talk to them first?

Caller: Yes, please.

Respondent: Okay. What's your first name so I can let them know who's holding?

Caller: Samantha.

Respondent: Samantha, one moment.

Caller: Okay.

Female: Good afternoon, Cedar River Clinic. This is Storm. Am I speaking to Samantha?

Caller: Yes.

Female: Hi. So I hear that you have questions regarding a procedure for up to 25 weeks.

Caller: Yes. I was just wondering about how much it would be.

Female: Just cash prices or other options as if you were to provide commercial insurance?

Caller: Just cash.

Female: Let's see. So if you were to be anywhere between 24 weeks one day to exactly 25 weeks the price would be 4,300.

Caller: Okay.

Female: And then the furthest that the state of Washington would be able to provide this service for would be up to 26 weeks exactly. So if you're anywhere from 25 weeks one day to 26 weeks exactly it would go up to 5,500.

Caller: Okay. So that would be the cap?

Female: Uh-huh.

Caller: Okay. Well that gives me an idea. I need to work on getting that together.

Female: Another thing is that if financially if you feel like that's not something that you would be able to afford you might try to consider looking into the state insurance Medicaid. If you do qualify for that it would be fully covered.

Caller: Oh, okay.

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Respondent: All Women's Care. How can I help you?

Caller: Yeah. I wanted to schedule an abortion appointment.

Respondent: Okay. And how did you hear about our clinic?

Caller: A friend.

Respondent: Okay. When was the first day of your last menstrual period?

Caller: So it was back on May 29th of 2017.

Respondent: And have you had an ultrasound?

Caller: Yeah. I had an ultrasound last week, last Monday.

Respondent: And how many weeks were you?

Caller: I was 23 weeks and six days. So is that like 24 weeks?

Respondent: Okay. Give me one moment.

Caller: Okay.

Respondent: I'm just going to ask you a couple of questions, okay?

Caller: Uh-huh.

Respondent: Do you know if there are any abnormalities with this pregnancy?

Caller: No, not that I know of.

Respondent: Have you had any gynecological surgeries?

Caller: No.

Respondent: Any medical or health problems?

Caller: No.

Respondent: Currently are you on any medications or have you recently stopped any medications?

Caller: No.

Respondent: Did you have any allergies?

Caller: No.

Respondent: Do you smoke?

Caller: No.

Respondent: Do you use any drugs?

Caller: No.

Respondent: Do you snore?

Caller: No.

Respondent: And have you ever had anesthesia before?

Caller: No.

Respondent: Okay. I'm going to put you on a quick hold and see what we have available. Okay?

Caller: Okay.

Respondent: Okay. So we can see you Friday, December 1st and also December 2nd. So it's a two-day appointment.

Caller: How much is it?

Respondent: So then it's going to be \$6,275.00

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