

When an out-of-state doctor or organization mails an abortion pill to someone in South Carolina, four current South Carolina laws are broken:

(<https://www.scstatehouse.gov/code/t44c041.php>)

SECTION 44-41-80 says that person, except as permitted by this chapter*, who provides, supplies, prescribes or administers any **drug**, medicine, **prescription** or substance to any woman or uses or employs any device, instrument or other means upon any woman, with the intent to produce an abortion shall be deemed guilty of a **felony** and, upon conviction, shall be punished by imprisonment for a term of not less than two nor more than five years or fined not more than five thousand dollars, or both...

SECTION 44-41-60 requires that abortions must be reported

SECTION 44-41-330 requires waiting periods and the pregnant woman's written informed consent on fetal development and risks

SECTION 44-41-630 requires the performance and display to the woman of an ultrasound

* The beginning of this chapter (which is linked above) states a hospital is to be certified for the performance of abortions and a clinic is to be licensed and certified for the performance of abortions

Also, SECTION 44-41-680 establishes the pregnant woman's ability to file civil action against violators for actual, punitive, and statutory damages and attorney's fees.

Insurance data shows over 10% of women experience a serious adverse event after taking the abortion pill:

<https://eppc.org/wp-content/uploads/2025/04/25-04-The-Abortion-Pill-Harms-Women.pdf>

Insurance data also shows the abortion pill fails to abort the baby in over 5% of pregnancies and the woman attempts abortion a 2nd time either via the pill or via surgery:

<https://eppc.org/wp-content/uploads/2025/05/25-05-SHW-Insurance-Data-Reveals-Repeated-Abortion-Attempts-Due-to-High-Failure-Rate.pdf>

The abortion pill is not safe for women.

Aid Access, Women on Web and Massachusetts Medication Abortion Access Project (MAP) are 3 out-of-state providers depending on shield laws in other states to protect them.

The SC Attorney General or any SC Solicitor can AND SHOULD enforce SC laws. One way is to find a woman who has been harmed and who wants to take this action. Another way is to do a sting.

Contact your legislators and ask them to tell AG Wilson or a Solicitor to enforce our laws against out-of-state abortion pill!

More Info:

This is the application for an SC abortion clinic license:

<https://dph.sc.gov/sites/scdph/files/Library/D-3312.pdf>

These are the regulations, which are based on SC laws, for SC abortion clinics:

<https://dph.sc.gov/sites/scdph/files/Library/Regulations/R.60-12.pdf>

This is the list of SC abortion clinics (click on the 2nd tab toward the bottom):

<https://sc-dhec.maps.arcgis.com/apps/webappviewer/index.html?id=e8b4eea83cab491bb3e3663093e14656>

TX is enforcing their law:

<https://www.cbsnews.com/news/texas-sues-new-york-doctor-for-abortion-pills-telemedicine/>