

Judicial Consent Abortion Petitions

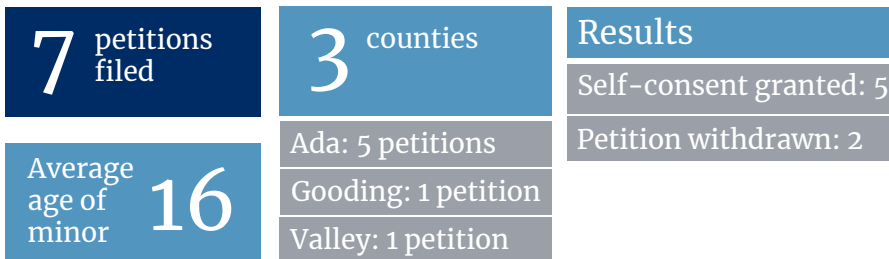


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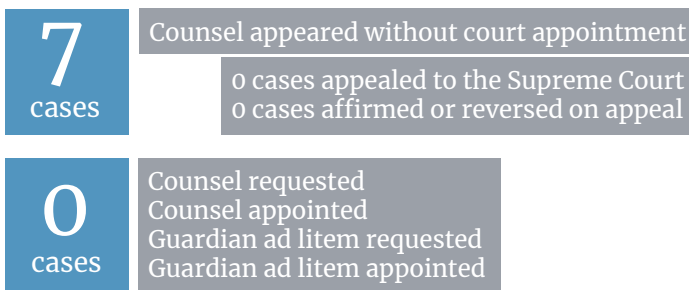
Idaho law requires (with limited exception) either parental consent or a judge's authorization for a minor to receive an abortion. Enacted in 2007, Idaho Code 18-609A specifies the process for judicial consent, including a tightly defined timeline for hearings. To authorize an abortion, the judge must determine by clear and convincing evidence that the pregnant minor is mature and capable of giving informed consent or that the performance of an abortion would be in the minor's best interests.

Petitions for judicial consent for an abortion are confidential. However, I.C. 18-609F requires the Administrative Director of the Courts to publish certain general statistics about the process for each calendar year. This report provides general data for petitions filed in 2020. Visit annualreport.isc.idaho.gov for a more detailed breakdown.

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