

## **Act 943: Unplanned Pregnancy Prevention**

**Act 943**, passed by the Arkansas Legislature in 2015 directs college and universities to develop and implement action plans to address the prevention of unplanned pregnancy.

Student Health Services suppose these efforts to prevent the unnecessary emotional and financial stress of an unplanned pregnancy therefore, improving the retention and graduation rates of our students.

*"Unplanned pregnancy can affect academic achievement and completion and has broader economic and social implication."* \*

A list of pregnancy prevention resources are available below:

### **Resources**

#### **Dr. Josetta Wilkins Health Unit**

3801 South Hickory Street  
Pine Bluff, Arkansas

The local health department offers Family Planning Services every Tuesday from 9:40 am – 4:40 pm and Thursday 8:00 am – 3:20 pm.

Services provided includes:

- \* Women's Health Service
- \* Contraception Methods and Counseling
- \* Pregnancy Testing and Counseling
- \* STIs testing and Prevention Planning

Appointments can be made by calling (870) 535-2142, or Student Health Services for additional information @ (870) 575-7106.

**Arkansas Campaign to Prevent Unplanned Pregnancy** this non-profit organization provides information on resources that are available to students including local health centers contact information and birth control information. Additional information can be found on their Website.

#### **Arkansas Campaign to Prevent Unplanned Pregnancy.**

<http://youractionplanar.com/>

#### **Arkansas Pregnancy Crisis Centers.**

[http://www.arti.org/our-issues/crisis\\_pregnancy\\_centers](http://www.arti.org/our-issues/crisis_pregnancy_centers)

#### **The National Campaign to Prevent Teen and Unplanned Pregnancy.**

<http://thenationalcampaign.org/>

#### **Bedsider.**

<http://bedsider.org/>

**Arkansas Department of Health.**

<https://www.healthy.arkansas.gov/programs-services/topics/womens-health>

**Single Parent Scholarship Fund**

The Arkansas Single Parent Scholarship Fund

Provides support to single parents who are pursuing their education.

\*Data obtained from The National Campaign to Prevent Teen and Unplanned Pregnancy.