



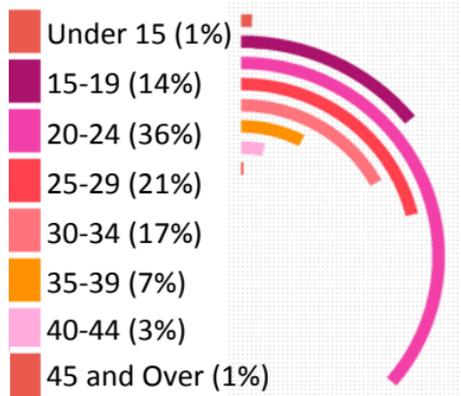
- 40 years of Roe • 11 years of NYAAF •
- Over 1,050 people served •

Who We Are → The New York Abortion Access Fund (NYAAF) is a nonprofit organization led by a 13 person, all-volunteer board of directors. Since its founding by students at Barnard College in 2001, NYAAF has supported anyone living in or travelling to New York State who is unable to pay fully for an abortion by providing financial assistance and connections to resources.

Who We Serve → During fiscal year 2012 (July 1, 2011 – June 30, 2012), NYAAF pledged over \$90,000 to 355 people in the hopes of making their abortions fiscally viable. Ultimately, **clinics invoiced NYAAF on behalf of 287 people from 15 states for services totaling \$89,708.** This represents a 31% increase in funding and 17% increase in people served over fiscal year (FY) 2011.

The people we help are diverse in age, ethnicity, family size, residence, and financial need. We have helped people like a 12-year-old survivor of sexual assault, a 23-year-old mother of two who traveled from Virginia in order to access a procedure in New York City that her military insurance would not cover, and a 45-year-old mother of three. The average age of our grant recipients was 26 and half of all people served were already parents.

Age of Clients FY 2012

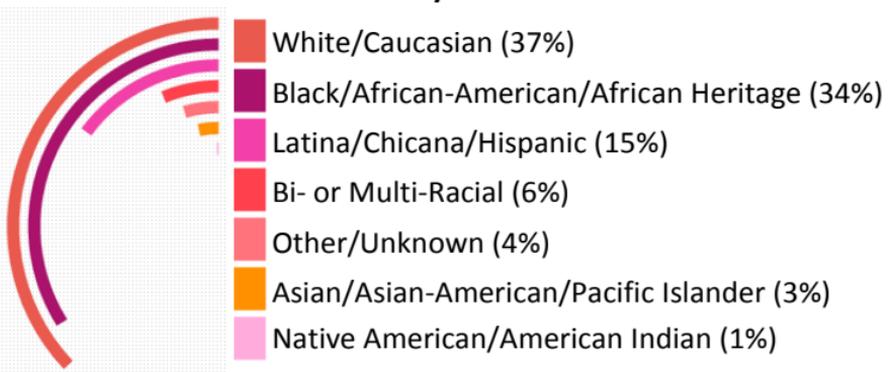


Residence of Clients FY 2012



Of those funded, 26% traveled to New York State for their procedure. Insurance coverage for abortions was clearly lacking with 67% reporting no insurance at all, 13% with private plans that did not cover the procedure, and 8% reporting delays in processing or difficulty finding a clinic to accept their pending-status documentation for New York State Medicaid coverage.

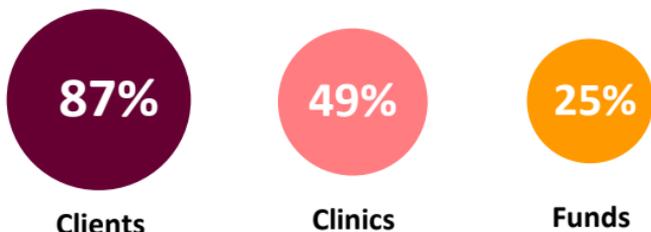
Race and Ethnicity of Clients FY 2012



How We Work → NYAAF provides funding directly to clinics on behalf of the people we serve. Most calls to NYAAF's hotline come from the patient or clinic staff. During patient intake, a NYAAF board member will call, email or text with a client providing education about public benefits, coordination with other sources of funding, and assistance in thinking through a client's own financial resources. If necessary, we help the patient identify local abortion providers, secure lodging, navigate transportation options, and provide referrals to post-abortion or crisis support services. After the patient has received an abortion, the clinic invoices NYAAF for the amount we commit to covering. After about one month, a NYAAF board member calls the patient to assess their experience with NYAAF and the clinic they visited.

How You Can Help → The total cost for abortion procedures supported by NYAAF last year ranged from \$390 to \$10,000, with NYAAF pledging an average grant of \$313. Funding collaborations were seen in the form of contributions from our clients, clinic discounts, and pledges from partner abortion funds.

Cases with Financial Collaborations FY 2012



As more and more people reach out to NYAAF for assistance, it follows that we need more and more people to support us through tax-deductible contributions. In fiscal year 2012, the most common grant size we made to patients was \$200, but we also found people asking for as little as \$25 in order to pay for their abortion. It just goes to show that even small amounts can make an enormous difference in the lives of the people we serve.

We also encourage you to engage with NYAAF in ways beyond financial contributions. **Get social with NYAAF!** We're on Facebook and Twitter, you can attend our future fundraising events or host your own, tell your friends and family about us, or join our volunteer team by e-mailing us. There are many ways that you can be a part of our mission.

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