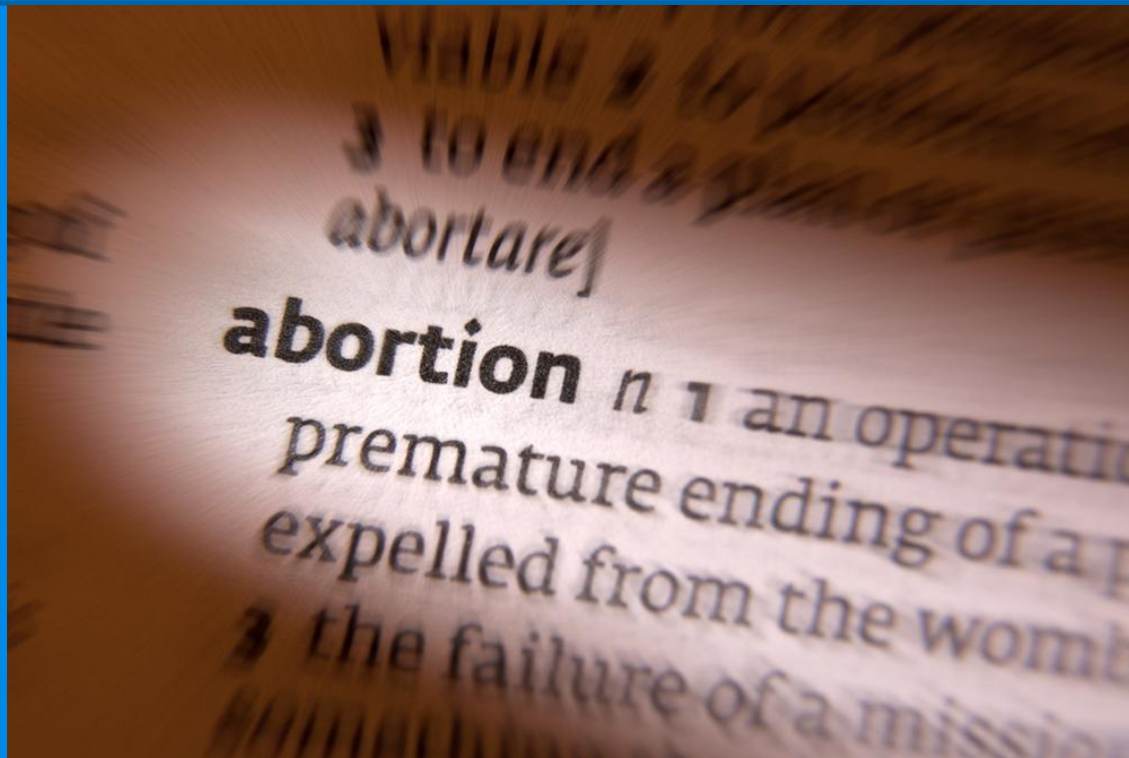# *Social problems: Abortion*

What is abortion?

Abortion is one of the most controversial and talked problem of our time. The definition of abortion is the removal of an embryo or fetus from the uterus in order to end a pregnancy.

The country annually increases the number of abortions among girls of childbearing age. According to official statistics, every third woman in Kazakhstan at least once interrupted pregnancy at an early stage.
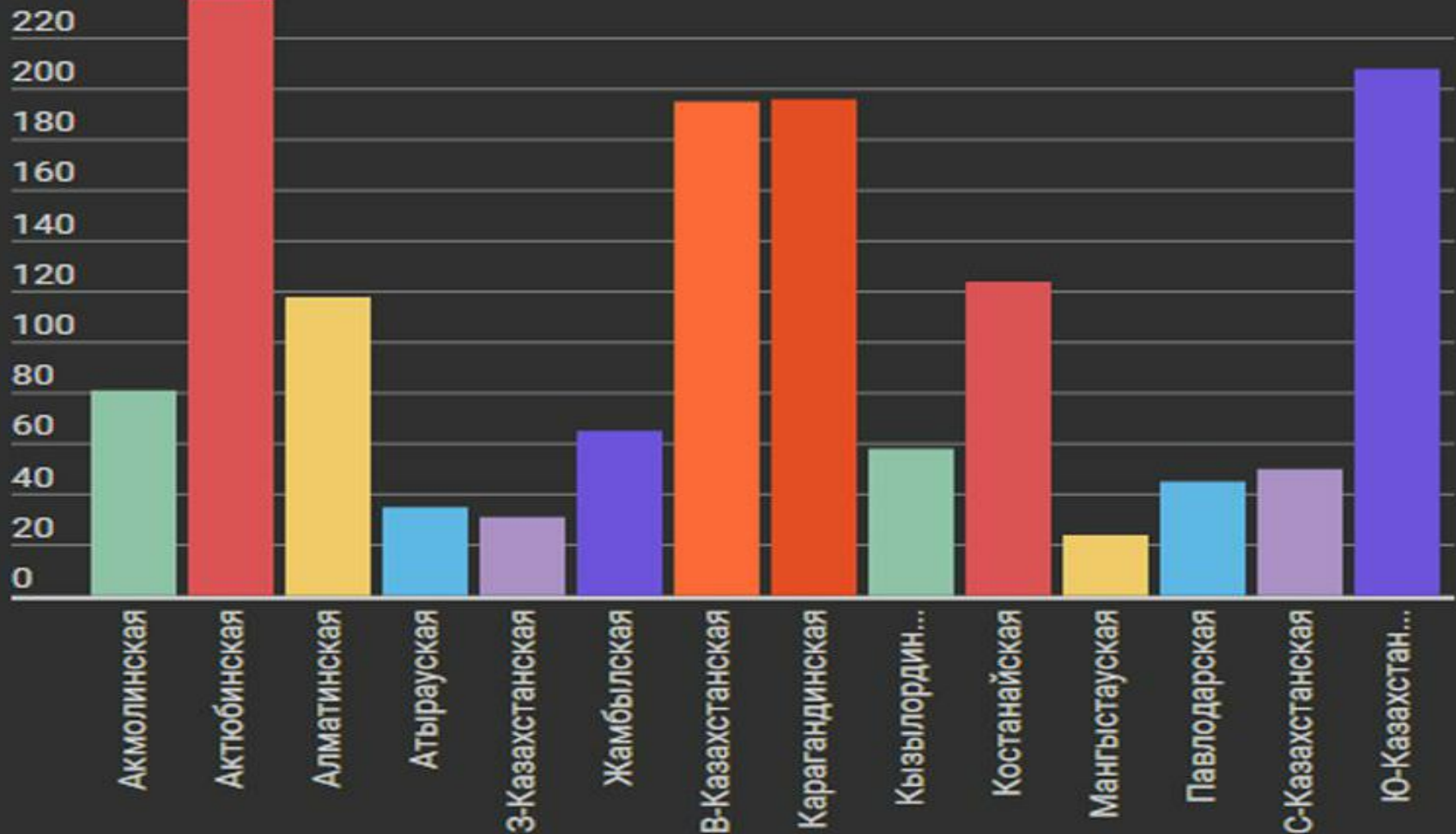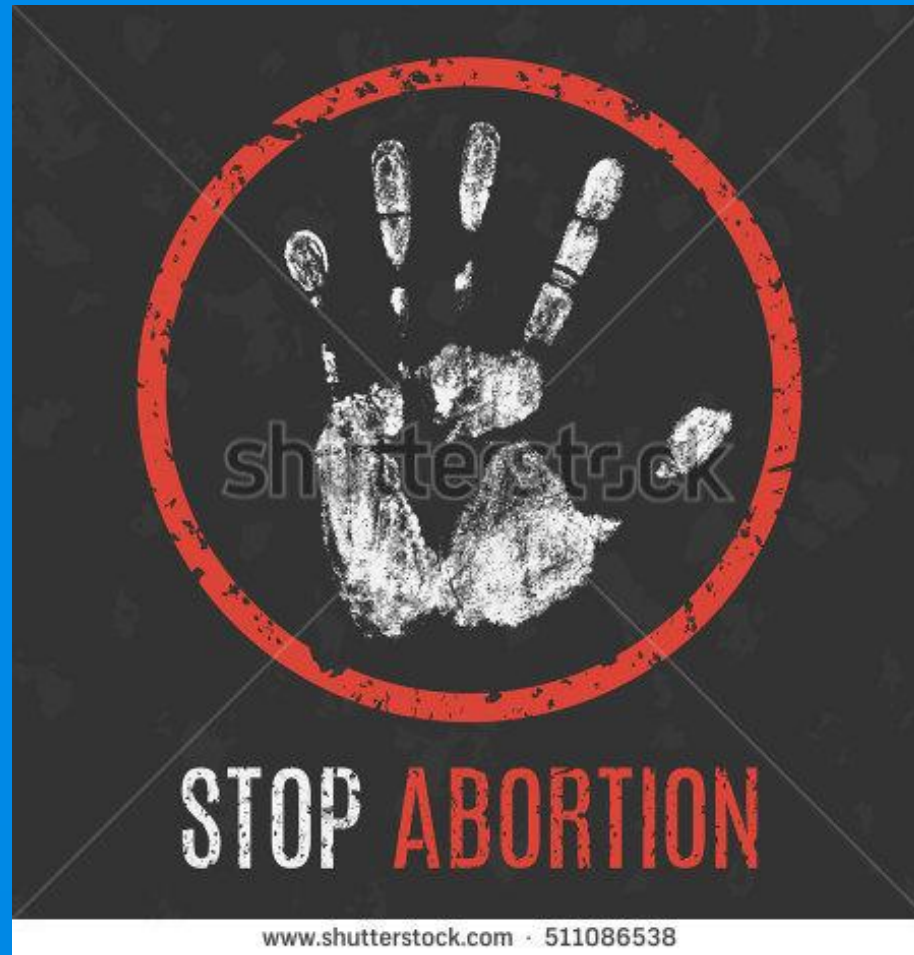
Reasons why a woman might want to have an abortion

90%

- not feeling financially stable enough to afford a child,
- do not feel that they are responsible enough to have a child,
- their current relationship with their partner is too difficult,
- their life would change too much,
- feel that they are too young to be a good mother,
- pressure of father or parents to have an abortion,
- feels that this will be disruptive of her school studies,
- a child will interfere with her career,
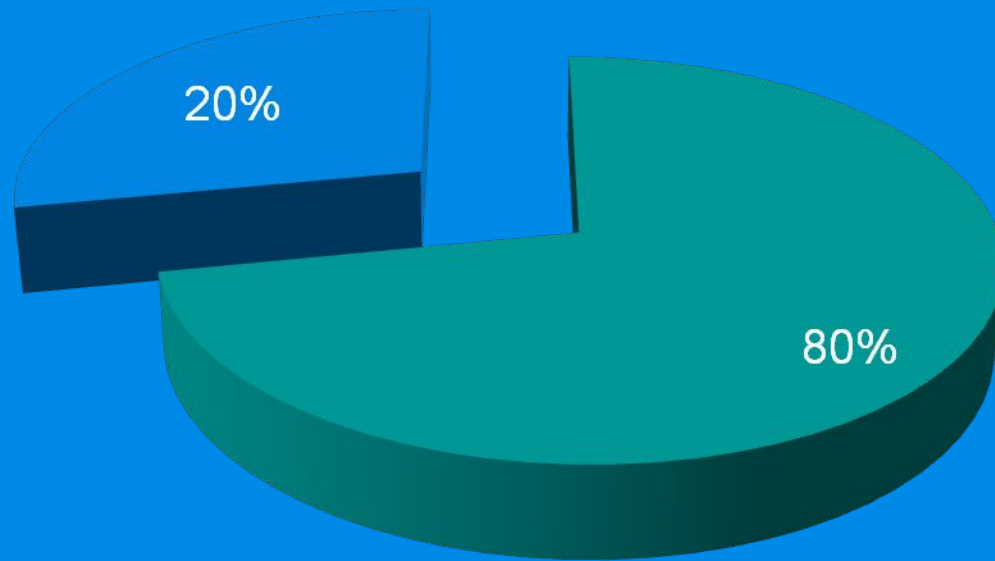
Statistics in Kazakhstan

Количество абортов за 2014 год

In 2016, 79 thousand women were artificially interrupted in Kazakhstan. More than a thousand of them, more precisely 1418, are teenagers from 15-17 years old.
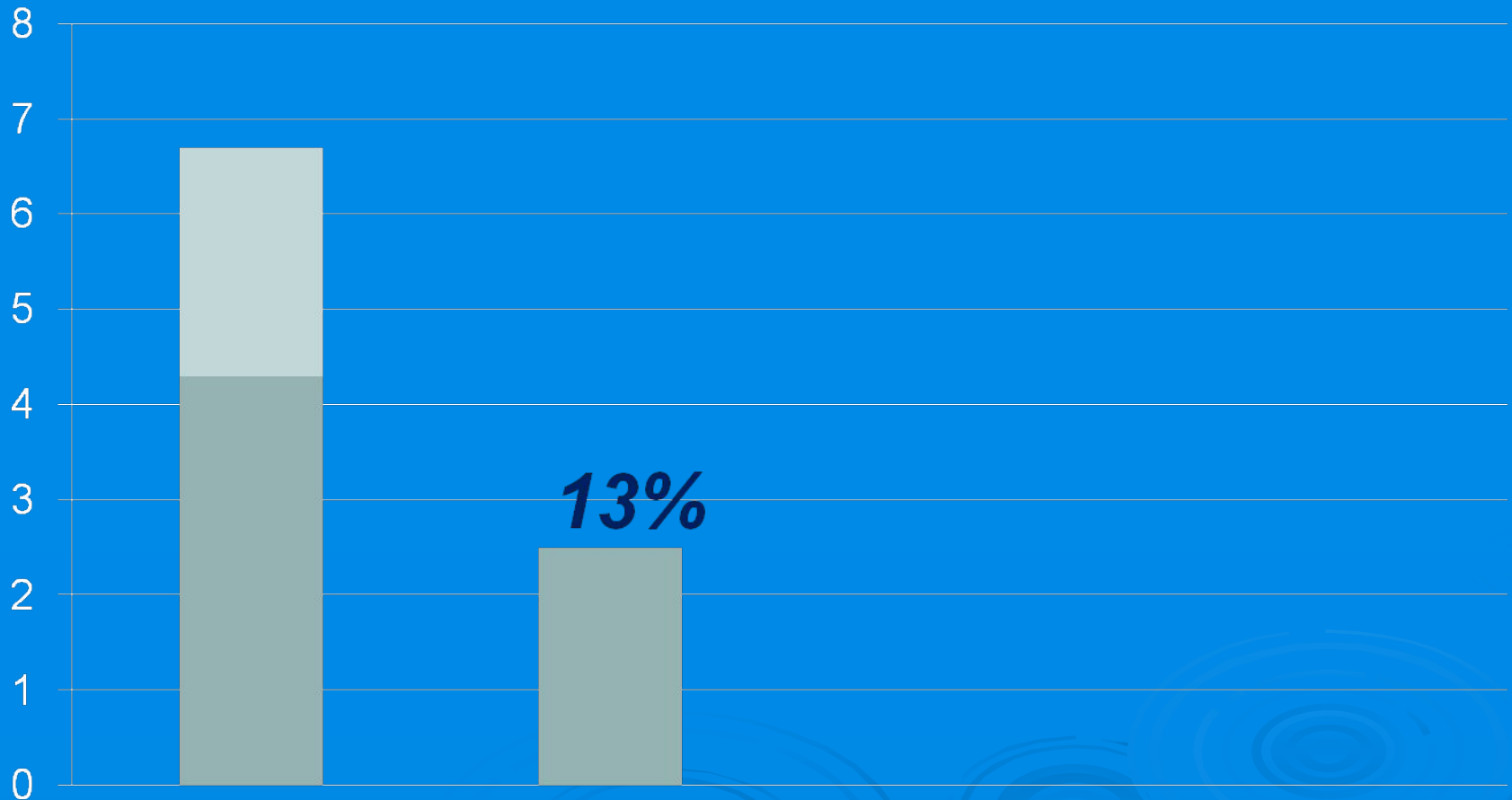
Kazakhstan's health organization records 300 thousand abortions every year.

The total number of abortions is from 80% to 100 % of the birth rate

In the Jambyl region, teenagers under the age of 18 are on the list of aborted pregnancies of 13%.

13%

Conclusion

- Abortion issue, the fact that abortion is a highly effective method of birth control.

- Abortion is a terrible thing but people tend to do crazy things when they are desperate. The sad truth is that the United States needs to keep abortion legalized. If it was not for abortion being legalized, the amount of "homemade" abortions would skyrocket, along with that, the number of accidental deaths from performing these abortions incorrectly. I wish abortion did not exist but it needs to, in an almost ironic way, in order to save lives.