## How many women get pregnant using these Birth Control Methods in 1 year?

What's a LARC?

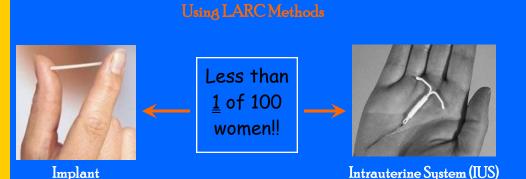
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Acting

Reversible

Contraceptive

A free, safe, easy, and private way for YOU to control when to have kids.



Using Traditional Hormonal Methods

8 of 100 women

The Patch
The Pill
The Ring

Using Barrier Methods



15 of 100 women

Long-acting reversible contraception methods like the *Intrauterine System* (IUS) or *Implant* are great because they're:

- EASY with no alarms, calendars, or frequent doctor or pharmacy visits.
- LONG-LASTING so that you can follow your dreams.
- PREFERRED choice for teens by doctors.
- EASILY REVERSIBLE when you are ready to become pregnant.



The intrauterine system and implant will:

- NOT cause you to gain weight.
- NOT affect your ability to get pregnant after device removal.
- NOT protect against sexuallytransmitted infections or HIV – you MUST still wear a condom every time to prevent this.

## Pick the option that sounds best for you! Prevent pregnancy the smart way!

	Intrauterine System (IUS)	Implant	
Safety	-Safe for almost all teens! -A STD check will be performed first.	Safe for almost all teens!	
How it works	Small amounts of hormone are released for up to 5 years.	Small amounts of hormone are released for up to 3 years.	
How it is used	-A small device goes through the cervix and sits inside the uterusIt cannot be seen from the outsideIt can be removed by a doctor at any time.	-Skin is numbed and a small rod is put under the skin of the armSometimes a small outline can be seen when squeezedIt can be removed by a doctor at any time.	
What to expect	Some experience arm discomfort right after insertion.  -Changes in bleeding patterns (most have lighter, less frequent periods and some stop bleeding altogether).  -Changes in bleeding patterns (most have lighter, less frequent periods, others have heavier, more frequent periods, and some stop bleeding altogether).  -A few experience arm discomfort right after insertion.  -Changes in bleeding patterns (most have lighter, less frequent periods, others have heavier, more frequent periods, and some stop bleeding altogether).  -A few experience arm discomfort right after insertion.  -Changes in bleeding patterns (most have lighter, less frequent periods, others have heavier, more frequent periods, and some stop bleeding altogether).  -A few experience arm discomfort right after insertion.		

## All women with insurance/and some without, can get these devices placed for <u>FRFF</u> or at very low cost at these locations:

	St. Christopher's Adolescent Clinic	(21 <i>5</i> ) <del>4</del> 2 <i>7-</i> 3802	Nelson Pavilion 3601 A St., 2 <sup>nd</sup> Floor	MonFri. 9am-5pm	
	Temple Family Planning Clinic	(21 <i>5</i> ) 707-3232	Broad and Tioga, 8th Floor	MonFri. 8am-3pm	
	Drexel Women's Care Center	(215) 762-7824	1427 Vine Street, 7th Floor	MonFri. 9am-5pm	
	Einstein Family Planning Clinic	(215) 456-7180	5501 Old York Road, Paley Building 3	MonFri. 8:45am-5pm	
	Planned Parenthood	(215) 496-9696	1211 Chestnut Street, 4th Floor	Monday 8:30 AM-7:00 PM, Tuesday and	
CHOICE Teen Hotline (for more options) (215) 985-3300			Wednesday 8:30 AM-6:00 PM, Thursday 9:30 AM-5:00 PM, Friday 8:30 AM-4:00 PM		

\*\*\*\*\*\* ALL SERVICES ARE FREE AND CONFIDENTIAL \*\*\*\*\*