



## POSTABORTION CARE RIGHTS OF THE CLIENT

*All community members, individuals, couples and clients have the right to the following, regardless of age, education, marital, ethnic, social, economic, and political status:*

<b>1. INFORMATION</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>❖ Information on the benefits of postabortion care (PAC)</li> <li>❖ Information on related family planning/ reproductive health and other services.</li> <li>❖ Information on where and how to obtain these services.</li> <li>❖ Information on how clients get information (channels).</li> </ul>
<b>2. ACCESS</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>❖ Recieve PAC services from health facilities or existing programs, regardless of their status or their geographical location.</li> <li>❖ Be free from barriers related to unjustifiable policies, standards and practices.</li> </ul>
<b>3. CHOICE</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>❖ Decide freely from which facility/ provider to access PAC services.</li> <li>❖ Decide freely and practice family planning with a method of their choice .</li> </ul>
<b>4. SAFETY</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>❖ Safe environment – competent provider and infection prevention.</li> <li>❖ Safety during PAC services.</li> </ul>
<b>5. PRIVACY</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>❖ A private environment during counselling and physical examination.</li> </ul>
<b>6. CONFIDENTIALITY</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>❖ Assurance that any personal information will remain confidential .</li> <li>❖ Shared confidentiality will be for the benefit of the client.</li> </ul>
<b>7. DIGNITY</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>❖ Be treated with courtesy, consideration and attentiveness, with respect to their dignity regardless of age, social, educational or other characteristics.</li> </ul>
<b>8. COMFORT</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>❖ Feel comfortable during service provision and receive adequate and high quality care that addresses physical and emotional aspects (these includes the use of appropriate pain management).</li> </ul>
<b>9. CONTINUITY</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>❖ Receive family planning and reproductive health services including follow-up and other health services.</li> </ul>
<b>10. OPINION</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>❖ Express their views regarding the services they receive.</li> </ul>