

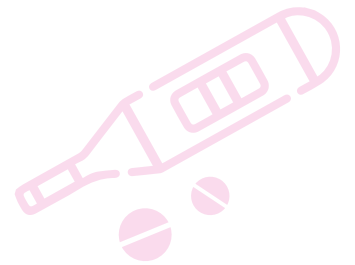
WHAT YOU SHOULD KNOW ABOUT

PLAN B



RISKS & SIDE EFFECTS

- Plan B has a 12.5% failure rate.
- Plan B has been found to increase risk of breast cancer.
- Plan B is listed as a class 1 carcinogen.
- Dizziness
- Cramps
- Vomiting
- Decreases regular birth control effectiveness
- **67%** increased chance of irregular menstruation
- **31.9%** increased chance of developing ovarian cysts
- **13.6%** chance of infection



ECTOPIC PREGNANCY

Plan B increases the risk of ectopic pregnancy, which is when an embryo attaches somewhere outside the uterus (e.g. a fallopian tube), which is life-threatening for the mother. Treatment for ectopic pregnancy involves removal of a portion of the tube, which can cause future **infertility**.

HOW IT WORKS

“Emergency Contraception” has several lines of defense:

First, it will try to repress ovulation. If that doesn't work...



Next, it thickens cervical fluid to prevent sperm from reaching the egg. If that doesn't work, and conception occurs...



It changes the uterine lining to make the womb uninhabitable to the newly-conceived child, causing an abortion.