The laws of countries in this category do not permit abortion under any circumstances, including when the woman’s life or health is at risk.

**Category I. Prohibited Altogether**

Countries in each subsequent category recognize the grounds specified in the preceding category. Additional enumerated grounds are indicated following the country name.

**Category II. To Save the Woman’s Life**

**Category III. To Preserve Health**

**Category IV. Socioeconomic Grounds**

**Category V. On Request (Gestational Limits Vary)**

**Indicators**

- Abortion permitted in cases of rape
- Abortion permitted in cases of incest
- Abortion permitted in cases of fetal impairment
- Spousal authorization required
- Abortion permitted on additional enumerated grounds relating to the woman’s life or health
- Legislation explicitly permits abortion only to protect the physical health of the woman
- Law unclear
- Federal policy in which abortion is determined at state level

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