

Country Profile: Bolivia

Region: South America

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Identified policies and legal sources related to abortion:

- Reproductive Health Act
- General Medical Health Act
- ✓ Constitution
- ✓ Criminal / Penal Code
- Civil Code
- ✓ Ministerial Order / Decree
- Case Law
- ✓ Health Regulation / Clinical Guidelines
- ✓ EML / Registered List
- Medical Ethics Code
- ✓ Document Relating to Funding
- Abortion Specific Law
- Law on Medical Practitioners
- ✓ Law on Health Care Services
- ✓ Other

Related Documents

From Constitution:

- [Constitutional decision 0206, 2014](#)

From Criminal / Penal Code:

- [Penal Code](#)

From Ministerial Order / Decree:

- [Ministerial Resolution 0027 of 2015](#)

From Health Regulation / Clinical Guidelines:

- [Misoprostol Clinical Guidelines](#)
- [Guidelines on health care for women and newborns, 2003](#)
- [Guidelines for the management of haemorrhages in the first half of pregnancy](#)
- [Technical Procedure for the provision of health services within the framework of Decision 0206, 2014](#)

From EML / Registered List:

- [Essential Medicines List 2022](#)

From Document Relating to Funding:

- [Regulation on maternal health care coverage](#)
- [Law on Universal Coverage of Maternal and Child Care](#)
- [Law on Integral Coverage of Health Care Services 2013](#)

From Law on Health Care Services:

- [National standard for characterization of health facilities of the first level](#)

From Other:

- [Supreme Decree 26874, 2002](#)
- [Ley 1027, 2018](#)
- [Code of Ethics and Medical Deontology, 2008](#)

List of ratified human rights treaties:

- ✓ CERD
- ✓ CCPR
- ✓ Xst OP
- ✓ 2nd OP
- ✓ CESC
- ✓ CESC-OP
- ✓ CAT
- ✓ CAT-OP
- ✓ CEDAW
- ✓ CEDAW-OP
- ✓ CRC
- ✓ CRC:OPSC
- ✓ CRC:OPAC
- ✓ CRC:OPIC
- ✓ CMW
- ✓ CRPD *
- ✓ CRPD-OP
- ✓ CED **

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Concluding Observations:

- [CAT](#)
- [CEDAW](#)
- [CEDAW](#)
- [CESCR](#)
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- [HRC](#)

Persons who can be sanctioned:

- ✓ A woman or girl can be sanctioned
- ✓ Providers can be sanctioned
- ✓ A person who assists can be sanctioned

