PPGNYAF Reproductive Health Questionnaire

The Planned Parenthood of Greater New York (PPGNY) Action Fund is a not-for-profit organization that engages in educational and electoral activity including voter education campaigns, grassroots organizing and legislative advocacy. The PPGNY Action Fund is a non-partisan organization committed to supporting pro-reproductive health candidates for state and local offices in New York.

If you would like additional information or have questions that you would like answered before completing this questionnaire or to arrange an interview, please contact [PPGNYCandidates@ppgreaterny.org](mailto:PPGNYCandidates@ppgreaterny.org).

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*Planned Parenthood of Greater New York Action Fund’s Message for Candidates*

Planned Parenthood believes in ensuring all people have access to the sexual and reproductive health care services they need. We believe that everyone–regardless of income, age, or marital status–has the fundamental right to decide when and whether to have a child. It is elected officials’ role to support personal childbearing decisions by ensuring quality access to preventive health care services, including birth control and medically accurate sexual health information, as well as access to quality prenatal care and safe, legal abortion. Planned Parenthood of Greater New York Action Fund defines support of our mission to include consistent voting records and public leadership to protect and expand access to sexual and reproductive health care and oppose attempts to roll back access to achieve health equity.

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| 1. Candidate Name |  |
| 1. Candidate Pronouns |  |
| 1. Candidate Email Address |  |
| 1. Party |  |
| 1. Name of Campaign Committee |  |
| 1. Campaign Website |  |
| 1. Campaign Manager Name |  |
| 1. Campaign Manager Email Address |  |
| 1. Campaign Contact Phone Number |  |
| 1. Treasurer’s Full Name |  |
| 1. Treasurer’s Email Address |  |
| 1. Money Raised |  |
| 1. Money Spent |  |
| 1. Fundraising Goals |  |
| 1. Are you participating in the NYC matching funds program? *If yes*, have you met the threshold? *If no*, please explain. |  |
| 1. Have you run for office before? If so, please list year and office. |  |
| 1. Please list your endorsements |  |
| 1. Do you support an individual’s right to obtain a safe, legal abortion, covered by all insurance including New York State Medicaid? | Yes / No |
| 1. Consistent with existing state and federal law, do you support the right of individuals to access the abortion method they and their physician deem safest for their health and needs? | Yes / No |
| 1. Do you support enforcing and strengthening laws to protect individuals’ access to reproductive health clinics? | Yes / No |
| 1. Do you support efforts to increase access to emergency contraception, including through insurance coverage, for all New Yorkers? | Yes / No |
| 1. Do you oppose attempts to undermine Roe v. Wade through legislation that creates separate legal rights for fetuses distinct from those of a pregnant individual? | Yes / No |
| 1. Do you support policies to expand access to contraception, such as requiring insurance companies to cover all federally-approved contraceptive methods without a co-pay, and regardless of an employer’s religious or moral beliefs? | Yes / No |
| 1. Do you support efforts to reduce maternal mortality especially for women of color in New York City? | Yes / No |
| 1. Do you support efforts to end pregnancy discrimination in New York? | Yes / No |
| 1. Do you support efforts to increase access to affordable childcare services to better support New York families? | Yes / No |
| 1. Do you support efforts to create preventative measures to ensure that poor New Yorkers are treated with dignity and respect in government agencies with which they frequently interact? | Yes / No |
| 1. Do you support efforts to increase accessibility for pregnant and parenting young people to continue their education? | Yes / No |
| 1. Do you support implementing a comprehensive age-appropriate medically accurate sexuality health education program from kindergarten through 12th grade that provides all students with information on contraception, consent, healthy relationships, gender identity, and media literacy? | Yes / No |
| 1. Do you support School Based Health Centers (SBHCs) and programs such as CATCH that enable NYC students to access reproductive and sexual health education and services? | Yes / No |
| 1. Do you support efforts to ensure that comprehensive medically accurate sexuality & reproductive information and services are delivered by trained providers for youth in foster care and shelters? | Yes / No |
| 1. Do you support New York youth’s ability to confidentially access sexual and reproductive health services, including safe, legal abortion? | Yes / No |
| 1. Do you pledge to protect the reproductive rights of unaccompanied minors, regardless of immigration status, housed in New York City? | Yes / No |
| 1. Do you support efforts to protect federal, state, and local funding for Planned Parenthood? | Yes / No |
| 1. Do you support efforts to ensure public funding for family planning services? | Yes / No |
| 1. Do you support efforts to fund HIV supportive programming included in the End the Epidemic Blueprint, proposed by the Governor Cuomo in 2015? | Yes / No |
| 1. Do you support policies, legislation, and enforcement that require Crisis Pregnancy Centers (CPCs) to be honest with people about what services they do and do not provide and about whether or not they employ a trained medical professional? | Yes / No |
| 1. Do you support efforts to improve health care equality for the transgender community and protect health care coverage for transgender-related services? | Yes / No |
| 1. Do you support policies to ensure that incarcerated individuals have access to the full range of sexual and reproductive health care services including free menstrual products? | Yes / No |
| 1. Do you support New York expanding health insurance coverage to all immigrants regardless of immigration status? | Yes / No |
| 1. Will you advocate for increased funding for mental health and substance abuse assistance for persons subject to arrest or incarcerated? | Yes / No |
| 1. Do you support policies to combat discrimination for gay, lesbian, bisexual, queer, trans and gender non-conforming individuals in the workplace, public accommodation, and housing? | Yes / No |
| 1. Do you support a fair living wage for all New York workers, including tipped employees? | Yes / No |
| 1. Do you support the Fair Fares campaign, which calls for city-funded half-priced Metro Cards for New Yorkers living below the poverty level? | Yes / No |
| 1. Do you support increased funding for and access to public transportation so that all people can access health care and other critical services? | Yes / No |
| 1. Will you fight for increased funding for public housing and to build more housing that is truly affordable? | Yes / No |
| 1. Do you support efforts to end gender-based and intimate partner violence, and sexual assault? | Yes / No |
| 1. Do you support efforts to increase access to and affordability of fast and reliable internet (i.e. broadband access) so people can more easily connect to health and social services, job opportunities and online learning, as more organizations use virtual platforms? | Yes / No |
| 1. Do you support efforts to reduce food insecurity as the Covid-19 pandemic and high rates of unemployment worsen New York's hunger crisis? | Yes / No |

1. Why are you running for office?
2. Why would you like PPGNY AF's support?
3. How do you intend to protect and expand access to sexual and reproductive health in New York City?
4. If elected, how do you intend to work with Planned Parenthood of Greater New York?
5. What ways do you plan to support the safety of PPGNY’s patients in upholding NYC’s Clinic Access Law?
6. We believe that all New Yorkers deserve to be represented by officials who work for the public interest and honor public trust. How will you ensure that your community can trust the work of your office?
7. How do you intend to approach budget negotiations, particularly around matters that currently fall under police jurisdiction? How will you integrate budget justice into your considerations?
8. How will you approach ending homelessness?
9. If elected, how will you seek to build a team, senior and entry level, and make appointments that represents the demographics and diversity of New York City?
10. In your future as a political candidate, how will you support other candidates who prioritize sexual and reproductive health care access and health equity?
11. How can New York City address the economic and health disparities exposed by COVID-19?
12. I pledge to (check all that apply)

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| use my voice as Public Advocate to speak out in favor of regulatory reforms that would improve access to reproductive health care, including abortion | Yes / No |
| speak out publicly in support of Planned Parenthood (examples include on your website, at press conferences, etc.) | Yes / No |
| attend a PPGNY function or event | Yes / No |
| speak with other elected officials and work to educate those who are reluctant to publicly support Planned Parenthood on comprehensive reproductive health issues | Yes / No |

I certify that this questionnaire has been completed or reviewed by the candidate listed above.

Name Date

Please return completed questionnaire to [PPGNYCandidates@ppgreaterny.org](http://PPGNYCandidates@ppgreaterny.org).