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## **SPANISH-SPEAKING WAITING TIME STUDY of INITIAL OB APPOINTMENTS WITH LOCAL PUBLIC OB CLINIC PROVIDERS RESULTS SUMMARY – NOVEMBER 2005**

*The following local OB clinics are also providers for PCC. PCC's wait time is indicated in parenthesis. The scenario was a 24-year-old, uninsured, 11 weeks pregnant, pregnancy confirmed at Planned Parenthood. Caller was Spanish-speaking; required an interpreter.*

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| <b><u>OB CLINIC</u></b>          | <b><u>DAYS TO WAIT FOR APPOINTMENT</u></b>  |                   |
|----------------------------------|---|-------------------|
|                                  | <b><u>Clinics</u></b>   | <b><u>PCC</u></b> |
| Columbus Health Dept - East      | <b>22 days</b>  | <b>(6 days)</b>   |
| Columbus Health Dept – North     | <b>14 days</b>  | <b>(14 days)</b>  |
| Columbus Health Dept - West      | <b>Refers all new OB patients to PCC.</b>   | <b>(21 days)</b>  |
| Columbus Northeast Health Center | <b>3 days</b>   | <b>(5 days)</b>   |
| Doctor's Hospital North/West     | <b>Schedules no initial OBs unless already established patient. Refers to PCC</b> | <b>(27 days)</b>  |
| East Central Health Center       | <b>6 days</b>   | <b>(20 days)</b>  |
| Grant Medical Center             | <b>19 days</b>  | <b>(20 days)</b>  |
| Hilltop Health Center            | <b>6 days</b>   | <b>N/A</b>        |
| John Maloney Health Center       | <b>12 days</b>  | <b>(14 days)</b>  |
| Mount Carmel East OB/GYN         | <b>Currently not accepting new OB patients.</b>                                   | <b>N/A</b>        |
| Mount Carmel West OB/GYN         | <b>1 day</b>  | <b>(5 days)</b>   |
| OhioHealth Wellness on Wheels    | <b>13 days</b>  | <b>(13 days)</b>  |
| OSU East Family Practice         | <b>14 days</b>  | <b>(14 days)</b>  |
| OSU Medical Center OB/GYN        | <b>32 days</b>  | <b>(11 days)</b>  |
| OSU Rardin Family Practice       | <b>4 days</b>   | <b>(4 days)</b>   |
| Riverside Methodist Hospital     | <b>6 days</b>   | <b>N/A</b>        |
| St. Ann's Hospital               | <b>25 days</b>  | <b>(25 days)</b>  |
| St. Stephen's Health Center      | <b>21 days</b>  | <b>(5 days)</b>   |

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**OB WAIT TIME AVERAGE: 12 days**

**PCC WAIT TIME AVERAGE: 14 days**