

WHAT'S THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN THESE TWO OPTIONS?

	EMERGENCY CONTRACEPTION	MEDICATION ABORTION CARE
What is it?	Safe and effective FDA-approved method to prevent pregnancy.	Safe and effective FDA-approved medication regimen to end an early pregnancy.
Where can I get it?	<p>Available over the counter or by prescription. Plan B is available over the counter and Ella requires a prescription.</p> <p>Learn more: planbonestep.com / ella-now.com</p>	<p>Available by prescription through certified health care providers and pharmacies. Depending on state law, patients can have a virtual consultation with a health care professional and have the medications delivered to them through the mail - or - travel to a clinic for an in- person consultation and pick up the pills in person.</p> <p>Learn more and find a provider: abortionfinder.org</p>
How does it work?	The pill delays ovulation or interferes with sperm movement. It <u>does not work</u> if you are pregnant.	Ends a pregnancy with the use of two different pills: mifepristone and misoprostol.
When can it be used?	Up to 5 days after unprotected sex, but the sooner the better.	Up to 10 weeks in pregnancy.
How safe is it?	One of the safest medications available used by millions to prevent pregnancy.	Safely used by 4.9 million women over the past 20+ years with a 99% safety rate.
Does it end a pregnancy?	No	Yes
<p>Bottom line – emergency contraception <u>prevents</u> pregnancy while medication abortion care <u>ends</u> an early pregnancy. Both are safe and effective and should be available, affordable, and accessible for everyone who needs them.</p>		