

## EMW: A money-making endeavor re: U of L and Abortion



*It appears that there is plenty of money flowing thru EMW.*

According to sworn deposition testimony of Dr. Ashlee Bergin, University of Louisville School of Medicine professor and abortionist at EMW Women's Surgical Center, the state's only abortion clinic is a lucrative enterprise. Dr. Bergin testified that she and University of Louisville School of Medicine professor, Dr. Tanya E. Franklin do all the "surgical abortions," while the founder of EMW, Dr. Ernest Marshall, handles the "medical abortion" side of the practice. (Medical abortions are generated by oral medication given to the patient - one dose to terminate the life of the unborn child and then a second to initiate contractions to expell the fetal remains).

According to Dr. Bergin, EMW charges \$800 per early-term surgical abortion and up to \$2,000 for a late-term abortion, or "D and E" abortion ("D and E" stands for "dialation and extraction.") Through this procedure, a woman's cervix is dilated, then the unborn child is dismembered by using instruments designed to tear off the arms and legs from the body, and ultimately the head. Sadly, as testified in the actual trial, the unborn child can feel pain and there are no efforts taken to sedate or even cause the child's death before the gruesome process is carried out.)

<b>3,500</b>	<b>average abortions in Kentucky each</b>
<b>X</b>	<b>year with only one abortion clinic</b>
<b>\$800</b>	<b>Minimum cost of a surgical abortion)</b>
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<b>\$2,800,000</b>	<b>annually (This does <u>NOT</u> include the</b>
	<b>extra cost for late-term abortions.)</b>

According to Dr. Bergin's testimony, the two University of Louisville School of Medicine professors at EMW do ALL of the surgical abortions.

## Where does all the money go?