

# La judicialización del parto y el embarazo

DEFINICIÓN E IMPLICACIONES



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LA JUDICIALIZACIÓN DEL PARTO Y EL EMBARAZO EN  
**ESPAÑA**

**El parto es Nuestro**  
2020

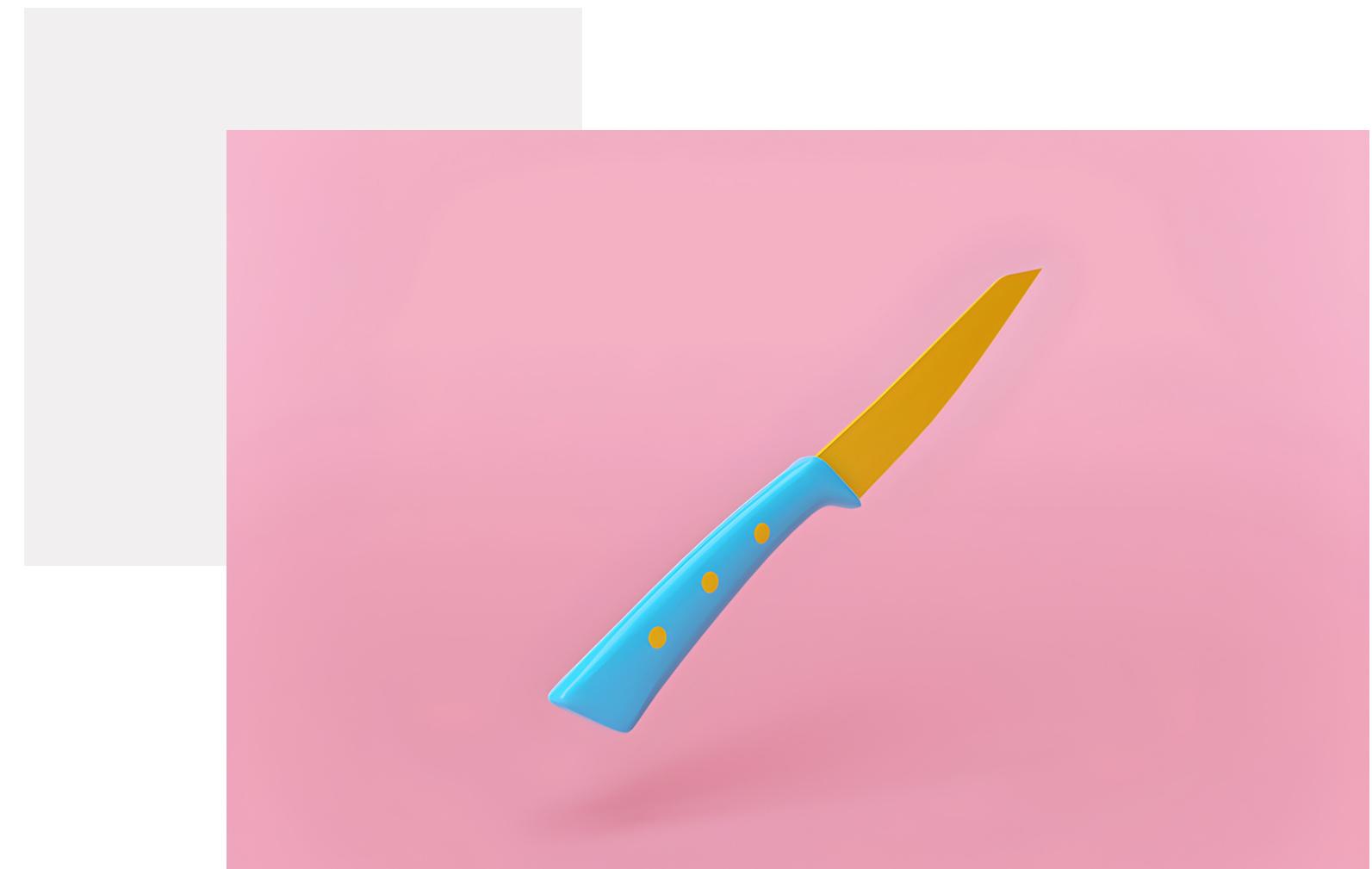


"Los procedimientos médicos coercitivos o no consentidos realizados en las mujeres"

"Cada vez son más los casos de mujeres que reciben amenazas o coacciones para someterse a intervenciones en contra de su voluntad o sin su consentimiento informado, llegando incluso a imponerse un sometimiento al criterio médico por orden judicial y a terminar forzándolas a dichas intervenciones"

¿ D E Q U É H A B L A M O S C U A N D O H A B L A M O S D E

# judicialización del parto?



E L R I E S G O D E N O

# DEFINIR

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## 01 LIMITADO

"Overlook many acts of violence that can occur in the obstetric care context"

## 02 AMBIGUOUS

"Ambiguous concept that tends to be moulded by different people who adopt different perspectives"

## 03 BARRERA

Narrows "the potential for critical review and response"

Q U É S I G N I F I C A

# JUDICIALIZAR?



DPEJ  
Judicializar

**Gral.** Llevar por vía judicial un asunto que podría conducirse por otra vía, generalmente política.

EN EL ÁMBITO DE LAS CIENCIAS SOCIALES Y POLÍTICAS

# JUDICIALIZAR

Lindt, A. (2023). The Dark Side of Judicialization: Criminalizing Mining Protests in Peru. *Latin American Research Review*, 1-15.  
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**"social movements, grassroots activists, and nongovernmental organizations (NGOs) are mobilizing the law to demand justice in cases of human rights violations committed by state and corporate actors"**

A P L I C A D O

# Judicializar el parto y el embarazo

Llevar por vía judicial un proceso relativo al  
embarazo o el parto

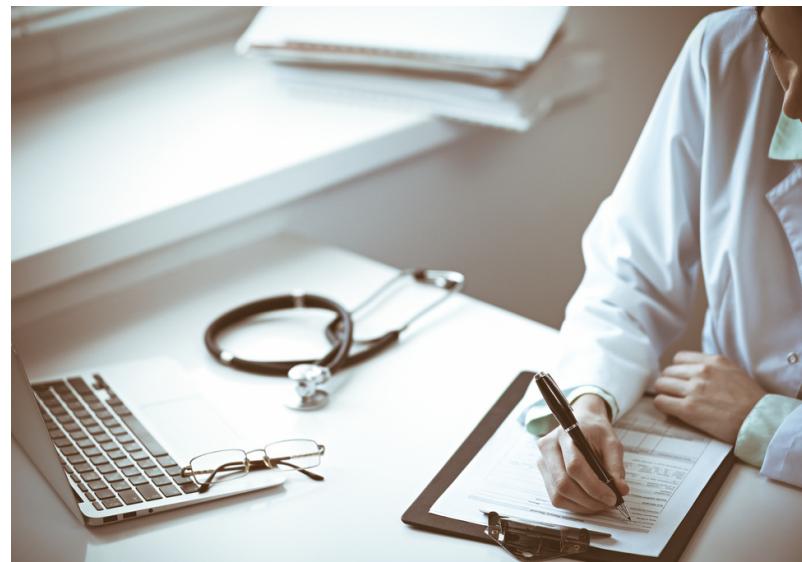


E S L A J U D I C I A L I Z A C I Ó N E X C L U S I V A M E N T E

# ALGO NEGATIVO?



**Decisiones CEDAW**



**Negligencia Médica**



**TEDH**

LA JUDICIALIZACIÓN DEL PARTO Y EL EMBARAZO

# UN CONCEPTO AMPLIO



¿Cómo designar específicamente aquellas acciones con carácter punitivo y coercitivo hacia las personas embarazadas?

D E F I N I E N D O

# criminalization of pregnancy

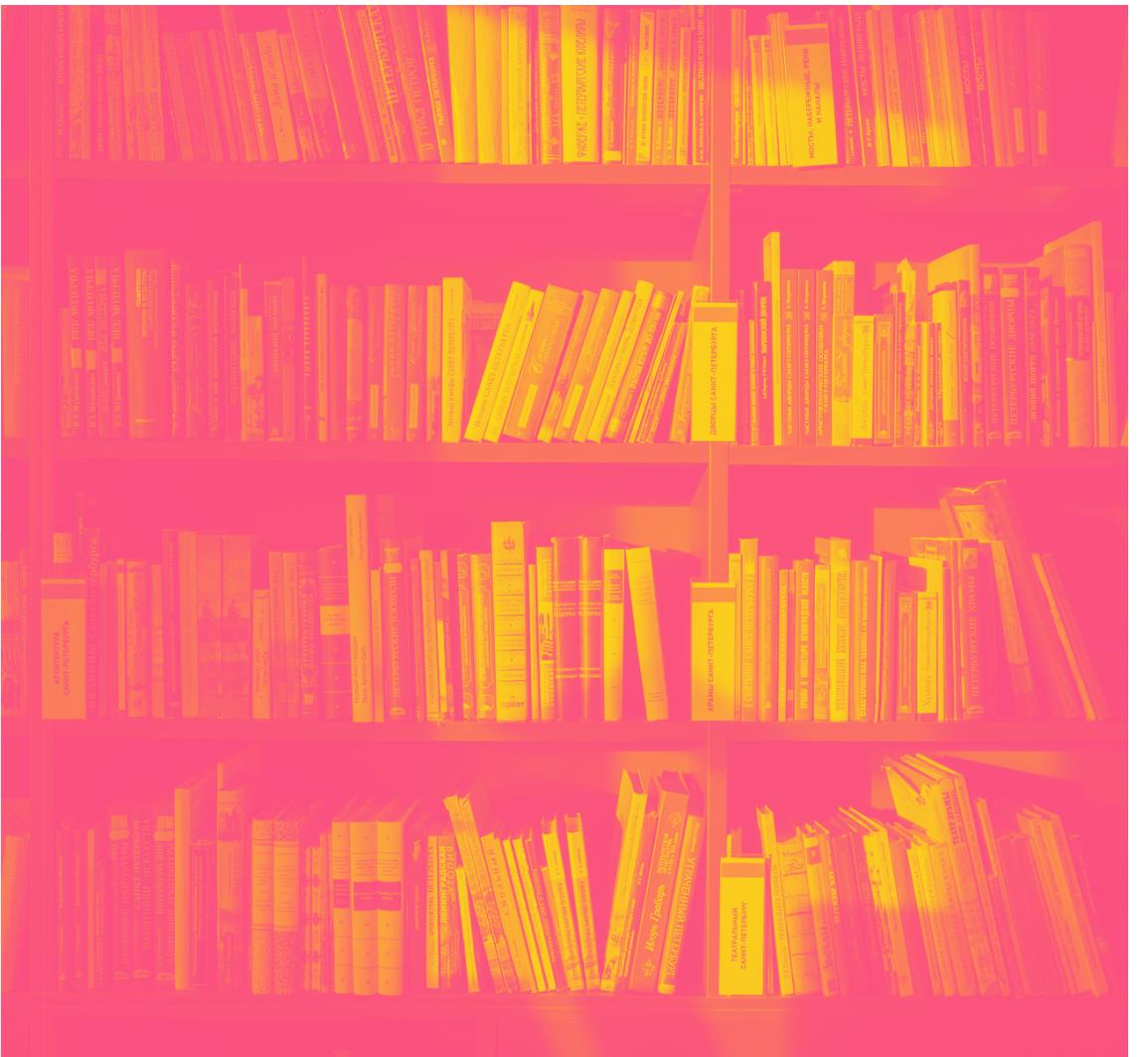
The process of attaching punishments or penalties to women for actions that are interpreted as harmful to their own pregnancies.

This includes laws that punish actions during pregnancy that would not otherwise be made criminal or punishable.

It also refers to other laws not specific to pregnancy but which are either applied in a discriminatory way against pregnant women and/or have a disproportionate impact on pregnant women which can in practice work as de facto criminalization.



International Amnesty. (2017). Criminalizing Pregnancy: Policing Pregnant Women Who Use Drugs in the USA. [www.amnesty.org](http://www.amnesty.org)



## Paltrow y Flavin (2013)

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<https://doi.org/10.1215/03616878-1966324>

**413**  
Casos

**1973-  
2005**

**84%**  
Uso de sustancias  
ilegales

**71%**  
Condiciones de  
precariedad  
socio-económica

P O R Q U É E S I M P O R T A N T E

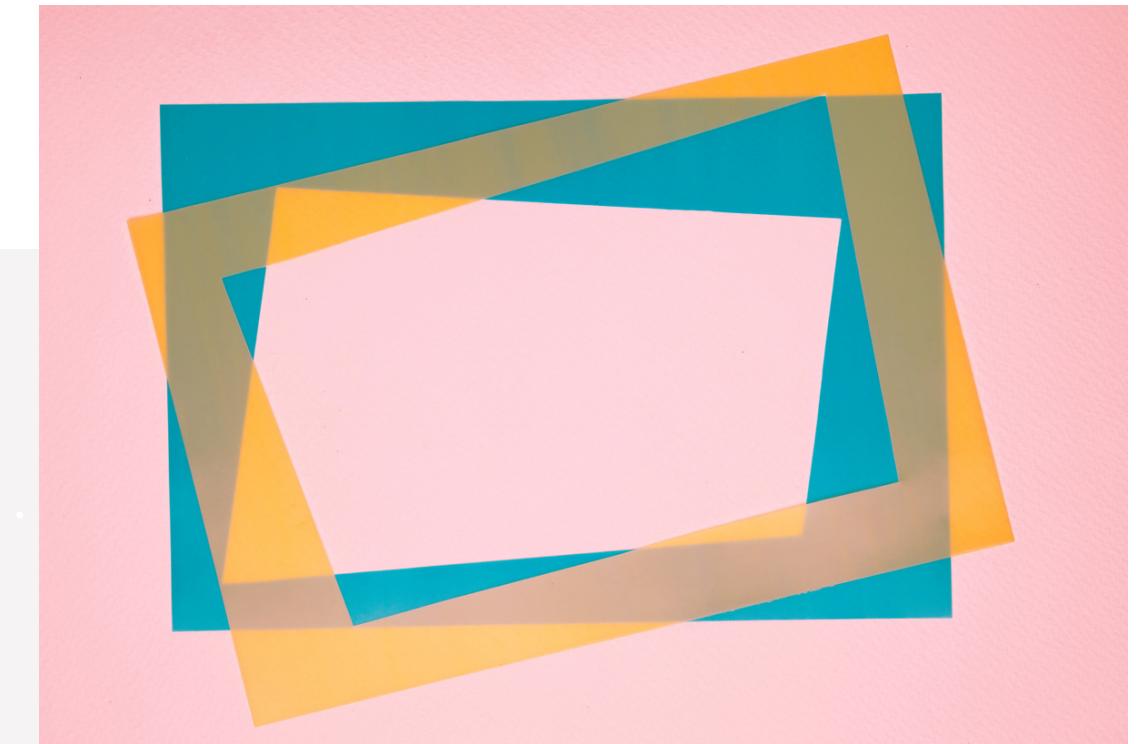
# la criminalización del parto y el embarazo?



Concepto internacionalmente  
reconocido

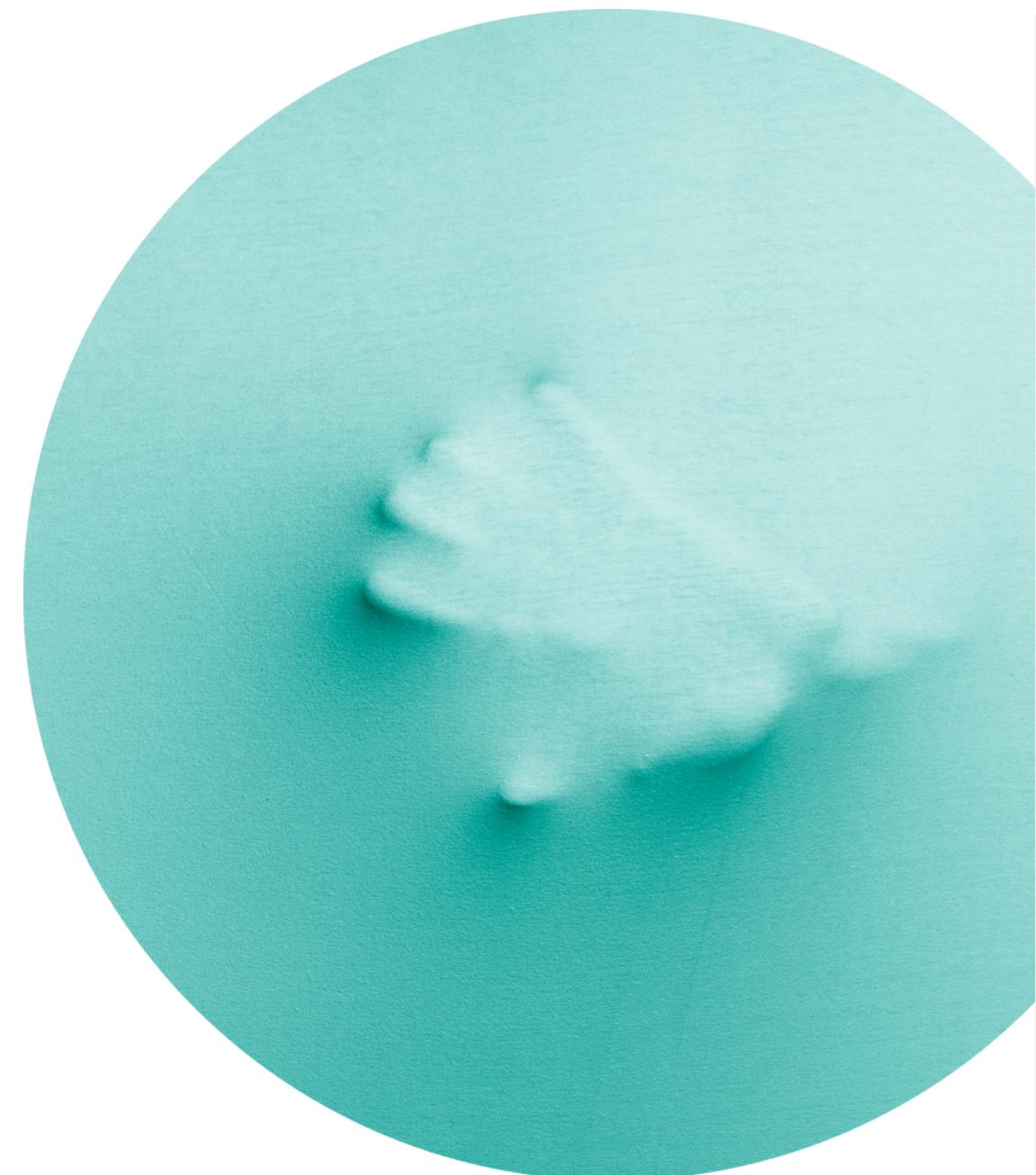


Marco Conceptual



C R I M I N A L I Z A C I Ó N D E L

# PARTO Y EL EMBARAZO



- 01** **Consecuencias negativas de esa judicialización**
- 02** **Resalta el tono punitivo**
- 03** **No solo hay prohibición de una decisión sino que puede tratarse de una penalización posterior**
- 04** **Parto y Embarazo**

**Esta regulación “deniega” directamente la decisión reproductiva. El estado alineado ideológicamente con la medicina interviene para obligar a la mujer a someterse a distintas prácticas en contra de su voluntad**

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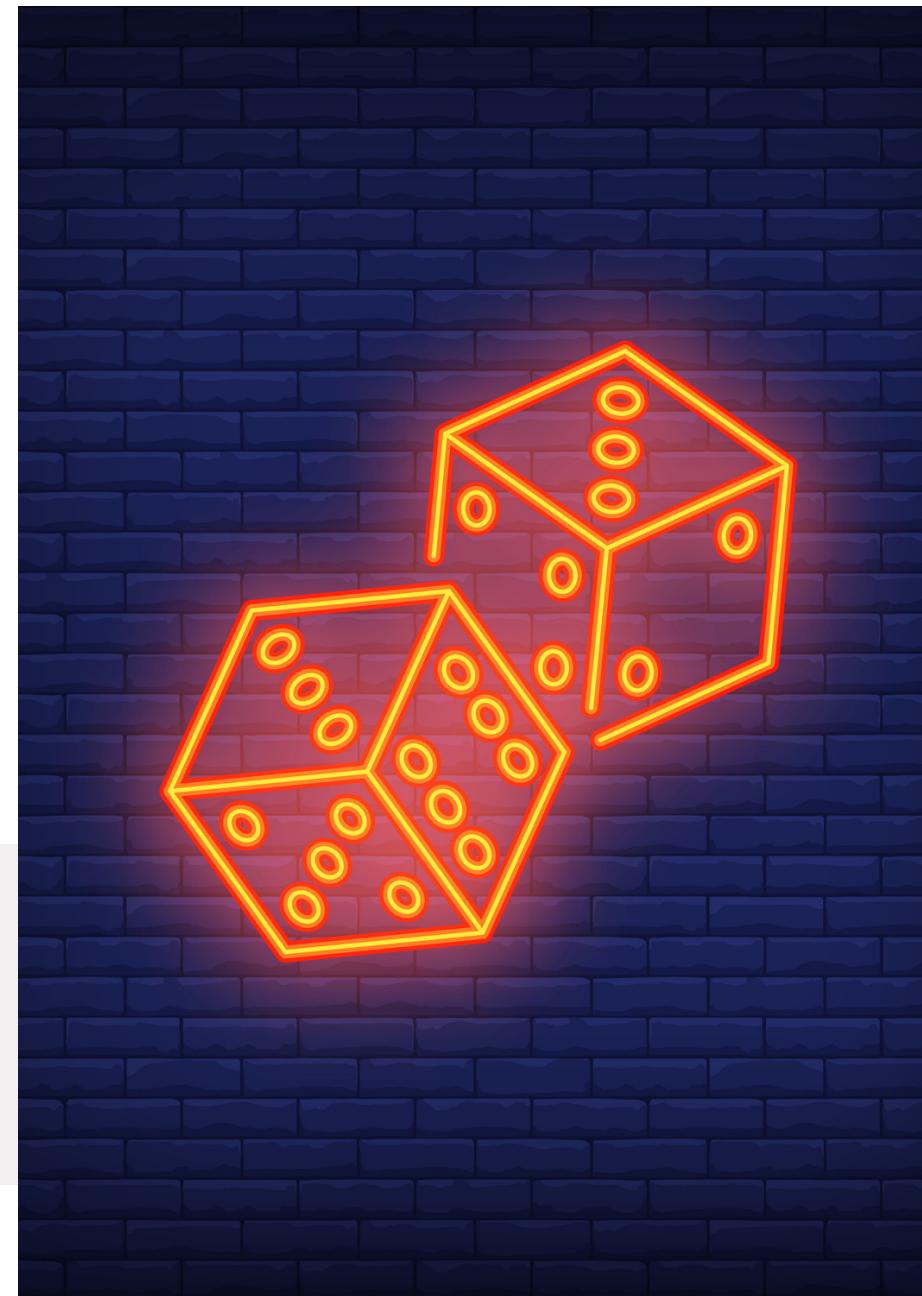


# DIRECTA

C A S E   L A W

# 1

**Jessie Mae Jefferson**  
1981



*Griffin Spaulding County Hospital  
v. Jefferson*

- Cesárea por orden judicial
- 99 to 100% de morir por parto vaginal

C A S E   L A W

# 2

**Caso Oviedo**  
2019



STC 66/2022 y STC 11/2023

- Hospitalización por orden judicial
- Urgencia inmediata de realizar una inducción al parto

# INDIRECTA

Las personas embarazadas pueden tomar decisiones, pero existe una “penalización” para aquellas decisiones o comportamientos reproductivos considerados erróneos

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C A S E L A W

# 3

## Regina McKnight 1999



*State v. McKnight*

- Homicidio
- Condenada a 12 años de prisión
- Libre de todos los cargos en 2008

C A S E L A W

# 4

**Parto domiciliario con  
presentación podálica**

2018



*Juzgado de Instrucción N°. 4 de Vigo,  
Auto de 1 Oct. 2019, Rec. 2848/2018*

- Aborto Imprudente
- Caso sobreseído

Judicialización del embarazo y  
el parto

Criminalización del  
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LA CRIMINALIZACIÓN DEL PARTO COMO  
**judicialización del parto**

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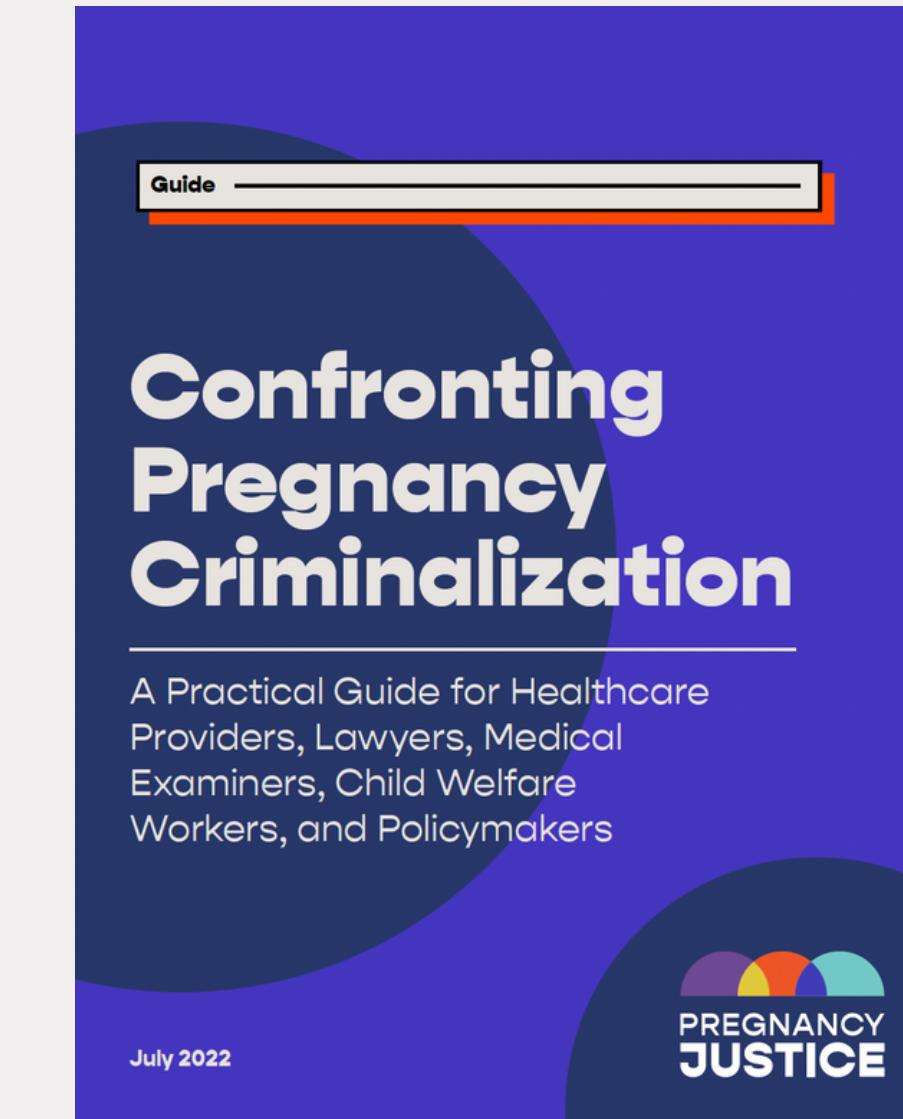
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