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## Encouraging the State of Wisconsin to Require Access to Emergency Contraception

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**Whereas**, contraception is a basic component of healthcare, and

**Whereas**, emergency contraception is known to be safe and effective if taken within 72 hours of contraceptive failure, and

**Whereas**, it is unjust to deny women rapid and reliable access to emergency contraception, and

**Whereas**, in Wisconsin access to emergency contraception can be extremely limited, especially for women in rural areas or those with limited transportation options.

**Be it therefore resolved**, that the Common Council of the City of Madison call on the State Legislature to enact legislation requiring all pharmacies to dispense emergency contraception.

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