

# **ABORTION**

Church Council Action

CC97.04.31



**Evangelical Lutheran Church in America**

God's work. Our hands.

## **Adopted by the 1997 Church Council.**

### **Resolved**

To adopt the amendment to the ELCA Medical and Dental Benefits Plan printed in Agenda/MINUTES Exhibit J, Part 1b, which would exclude coverage of late-term abortions, except when the life of the mother is threatened or when the fetus has lethal fetal abnormalities indicating that death is imminent.