

Transcripts of two 911 calls placed from LeRoy Carhart's late-term abortion clinic in Bellevue, Nebraska, on Saturday, March 31, 2012, at 1:05 PM.

Dispatcher: Sarpy County Communications.

Clinic 1: Hi. I need an ambulance sent to the abortion clinic on Mission Avenue in Bellevue.

Dispatcher: Okay, do you have the address to that?

Clinic 1: It's 1002 West Mission Avenue.

Dispatcher: Bellevue Health Clinic?

Clinic 1: Correct. Tell them no lights or sirens.

Dispatcher: What's the phone number you're calling from, ma'am?

Clinic 1: 4-0-2-2-9-2-4-1-6-4.

Dispatcher: Okay, tell me exactly what happened.

Clinic 1: Uh, I was told to call an ambulance.

Dispatcher: Okay, so you don't know what's going on?

Clinic 1: No.

Dispatcher: Who told you to call the ambulance, ma'am?

Clinic 1: The nurse.

Dispatcher: Okay. *[Background conversations of other dispatchers.]* Okay, ma'am, are you able to obtain any information?

Clinic 1: I'm in the front office.

Dispatcher: Okay. Okay, ma'am is there somewhere – some way you can take me to where the person that needs the rescue is?

Clinic 1: Take you there?

Dispatcher: Are you – yes. Can you go to the phone to – go to the person who --

Clinic 1: I'll have to call you back then.

Dispatcher: Okay, um, is there anybody in the office that can call us on their cell phone or 911?

Clinic 1: I'll call you from my cell phone.

Dispatcher: Okay, that would be fine.

Clinic 1: Okay.

Dispatcher: Thank you.

Clinic 1: Bye.

Call 2

Dispatcher: Sarpy County 911.

Clinic 1: Hi, I just called from the Bellevue Health Clinic on Mission Avenue.

Dispatcher: Yes. Okay, um, now, are you – tell me exactly what happened.

Clinic 1: What's going on, Lindsey? They want to know. 911 wants to know. They want to know what's going on. I need an answer.

Dispatcher: Right, ma'am, I need to know exactly what's going on so they know how -- know how they need to take care of this person. What is going on? Tell me exactly what happened.

[Loud moan heard in the background coming from the clinic.]

Clinic 1: They want to know what's going on.

Dispatcher: Can I speak with the person that's with the patient? Are you with the patient now?

Clinic 1: I'm in the room, yes.

Dispatcher: How old is she?

Clinic 1: How old is she? *[Faint moaning sounds in background along with chatter from other dispatchers]*

[Answer redacted]

Dispatcher: Okay, is she awake?

Clinic 1: Is she awake? Yeah.

Dispatcher: Is she breathing?

Clinic 1: Yes.

Dispatcher: Stay on the line. I'm gonna – someone else is dispatching the rescue squad and I'm going to gather more information for the paramedics.

[Screaming in background]

Clinic 1: *[Unintelligible.]*

Dispatcher: Okay, where -- ma'am? Wha –

[Redacted -- Redacted]

Dispatcher: -- Are you a doctor, ma'am?

Clinic 2: I'm a nurse.

Dispatcher: Okay. Is she completely alert?

Clinic 2: Uh, she's sedated but she's alert and she's able to talk to us.

Dispatcher: Okay, is she breathing normally?

Clinic 2: Yes, she's breathing on room air. She's about 95%. Her vitals are stable. She's just – uh, yeah.

[Redacted]

[Moans in background]

[Redacted]

Dispatcher: Okay, help is on the way. Stay on the line and I'll tell you what to do next.

Clinic 2: Okay.

Dispatcher: Now, just reassure her that help is on the way. Don't let her have anything to eat or drink. It might make her sick or cause problems for the doctor. Just have her rest in the most comfortable position and wait for help to arrive. Now obviously if she becomes less awake – watch her very closely. If she becomes less awake and vomits, just quickly turn her on her side, and if she gets worse in any way, just let me know and I can give you further instructions.

Clinic 2: *[to someone in the clinic]* –uh, second drawer.

Dispatcher: Is there any place that they should come in at, ma'am, like front or back entrance?

Clinic 2: Front door is just fine. Melissa's up there waiting for her.

Dispatcher: Okay if they can have folks –

Clinic 2: --will be waiting.

Dispatcher: --If they can have somebody meet the rescue squad and they can direct them to her, that would be helpful.

Clinic 2: Yep. She will be there.

Dispatcher: Is there a doctor at that facility?

Clinic 2: Yes.

Dispatcher: Okay, so she is okay with you guys? --

Clinic 2: --Yeah, we have --we --

Dispatcher: -- You guys know how to do CPR and everything with her?

Clinic 2: Yeah, we were just –

Dispatcher: Okay.

Clinic 2: -- and then we finally –

Dispatcher: Alright, if there's a medical professional with you, I'll let you go then.

Clinic 2: Okay. Thank you.

Dispatcher: Okay, thank you. Bye-bye.