North Carolina has the fourth highest number of abortion restrictions in the country, along with 5 other states, but has passed only 12 of 25 supportive policies. If the health of women and children is truly a concern for the state, policymakers’ time and effort would be better spent increasing the number of policies that are known to support women and children, rather than enacting harmful abortion restrictions.

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Indicators are updated through 2019 or the most recent year data was available.