A baby is born to a teen mom in Harris County every 2 hours.

IN TEXAS...

- 63% of 12th-grade students have had sex.
- Just 16% of school districts teach medically accurate sex education.
- Teens under 18 who already have a baby can't consent to their own contraception under state law.

Many young women in Texas struggle to access the resources needed to make informed decisions about their health, futures and families. However, like the rest of the nation, teen birth rates in Harris County have declined dramatically in the last decade.

Between 2007 - 2016 the Harris County teen birth rate declined 51%.

* Preliminary estimated 2016 rate

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Data sources available at www.txcampaign.org