

**TABLE 3. Regional estimates of the annual number of postabortion cases treated and health care system costs (2006 US\$), using cost-per-patient averages, according to estimation method**

Region	No. of cases treated (in 000s)	Estimate 1 (in 000,000s)	Estimate 2 (in 000,000s)	Estimate 3 (in 000,000s)	Average (in 000,000s)
Africa	1,730	\$117	\$199	\$198	\$171
Sub-Saharan Africa	1,180	\$80	\$136	\$145	\$120
Latin America	1,040	\$70	\$120	\$135	\$108
Total	2,770	\$187	\$319	\$333	\$280

Notes: Totals include figures for Africa and Latin America. Because of rounding, the average regional costs do not total \$280 million.