



# Advantages And Drawbacks Of Using IUDs

## Advantages



No need to remember to take birth control pills



Effective for as long as five years



Reversible, so a woman can get pregnant after the removal



No interference with breastfeeding

## Drawbacks



May cause uterine wall perforation



May lead to the partial or complete ejection of the IUD when it slips off



Could lead to unexpected pregnancies such as ectopic pregnancy



Increased risk of pelvic inflammatory disease and infections during insertion