



FAMILY SOURCE CONSULTANTS

BRINGING DREAMS & MIRACLES TOGETHER **SINCE 2007**

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“ I am very grateful to all the Family Source team. Thanks to them I have been able to achieve my dream... BE A FATHER. MAY GOD BLESS YOU... MILLIONS OF THANKS TO ALL THE TEAM.

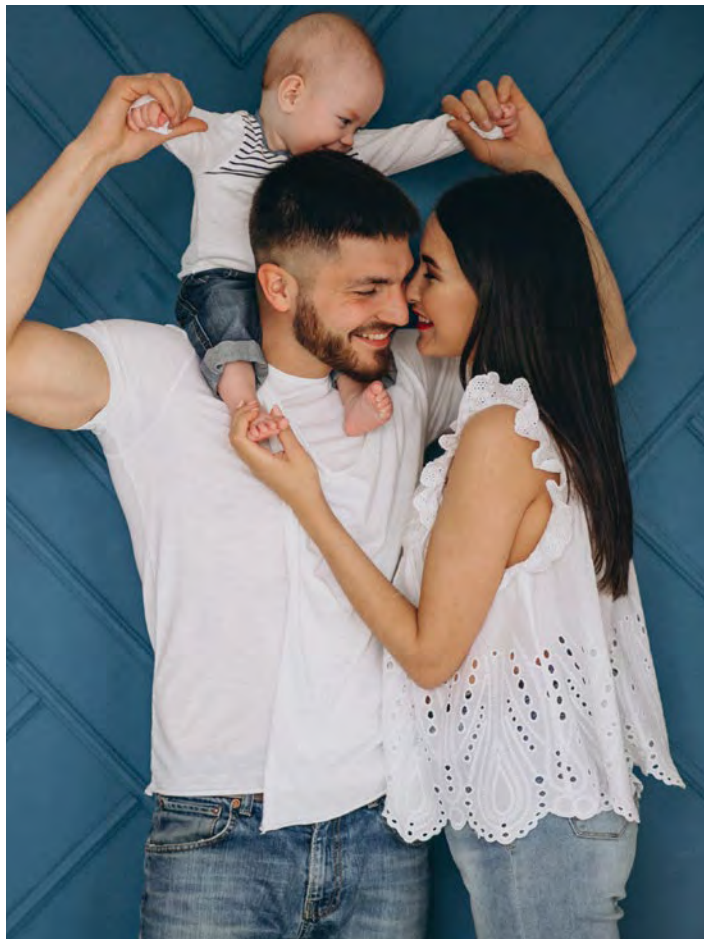
Parent F - Spain

Congratulations

You've taken one of the first steps in pursuing your dream!

Gestational Surrogacy and Egg Donation have made it possible for so many people around the world to become parents. Family Source is familiar with the gamut of emotions you are likely experiencing: fear and doubt - yet excitement and hope. You have many choices before you and many decisions to be made. Where do you start?

We are here to simplify the process for you and to ensure you have the necessary facts to enable you to make informed decisions from this point forward. Every Intended Parent/Surrogate relationship is wholly unique; therefore, it is important for us to develop a clear understanding of your expectations.



Surrogacy Services

Family Source Consultants provides a non-biased liaison service for intended parents and surrogates.

At FSC, our goal is to encourage communication throughout the process and ensure a positive and healthy relationship between all parties involved.

When you partner with FSC, you are choosing to work with a passionate and dedicated group of professionals who are uniquely qualified to provide assistance in every facet of creating a family using assisted and third-party reproduction techniques.

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Family Source Consultants made this process super easy. There is so much paperwork and red tape through this process and honestly, I barely had to deal with any of the stress related to it. They were super organized and very communicative. They helped me through all my wacky issues and were extremely supportive throughout the whole process.

Surrogate Yelena - Minnesota



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I am so overjoyed to have (my son) in my life. Thank you all for your help in making this happen. Life is always a miracle and precious, but for those of us requiring surrogacy it is quite surprising and a dream come true.

Parent T - Switzerland

Surrogate Requirements

Prospective surrogates must meet all of the following requirements.

Be a resident of the United States

Be between the ages of 21-42

Be healthy overall

Be height-weight proportionate

Have at least one child

Have experienced a full-term pregnancy and delivery

Be in a stable living situation

Have the support of her spouse or partner
(when applicable)

Be willing to take medications via injection
(when instructed by doctor)

Not smoke or take illegal drugs

Be willing to refrain from alcohol throughout the pregnancy

Be willing to keep caffeine intake to a minimum

Not have any psychiatric illness

Enjoy pregnancy and be motivated by the wish and desire to help
Intended Parents create or add to their family

Screening Process

Prospective surrogates have been carefully pre-screened.

Application and thorough questionnaire

Interview with Family Source

Letter of consent from her Obstetrician

Psychological Evaluation
(with partner if applicable)

Pregnancy history & medical record review
by a medical professional

Clear background check results

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Our journey to parenthood has taken two years. It has been an otherworldly experience. Some moments have been rough, but finally, reaching our dream of being parents has become reality. FSC has always been very supportive, like our beloved surrogate mother and their family, who had made their best to help us in every way. We will never forget our American friends and we will always talk to baby about his wonderful origins.

Parents G&M - Spain





“Family Source Consultants has always been amazing to us. The way that you treat us, understand us, and make us feel that you are with us in this journey, is priceless. We wanted to tell you we do not take this for granted and highly appreciate everything you have done for us. You are amazing and we would like to thank you for everything from the bottom of our hearts!

Parents O&G - New York

Financial Information

FSC provides non-biased liaison services for your surrogacy journey.

Amounts shown are estimated examples of
what Intended Parents may expect.

Exact costs will vary with every Surrogate.

Please note that all fees are subject to change
without notice. While we make every effort to provide
you the most accurate, up-to-date fee information,
some fees and expenses may vary.

**Agency fees are non-refundable and subject to change;
fees will be honored for up to 90 days from initial date of contact.**

Surrogacy Program Fees

	FSC Standard	FSC Unlimited	FSC Fixed
Family Source Consultants Professional Fee	\$28,500	\$33,500	\$132,350
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Registration payment Second payment (due upon acceptance of Surrogate) Third payment (due upon completion of legal) 	\$13,500 \$10,000 \$5,000	\$20,000 \$10,000 \$3,500	\$23,000 \$21,750 \$87,600
International Fee (paid with registration)	\$2,000	\$2,000	\$2,000
Unlimited Embryo Transfers (subsequent rematching pre/post transfer)	Included	Included	Included
Unlimited Surrogate Matching (subsequent rematching pre/post transfer)	Contact FSC	Included	Included
Recruiting & Matching with Surrogate	Included	Included	Included
Criminal Background Process Fee	Included	Included	Included
Psychological & Ongoing Support Meetings	Included	Included	Included
Escrow Management Fee (paid directly to escrow company at match)	\$1,850	\$1,850	Included
Compensation - may vary \$5,000/\$10,000+if surrogate is experienced, lives in a particular state or per request	\$48,000	\$48,000	Included
Monthly allowance (beginning at heartbeat confirmation of pregnancy)	\$200/month	\$200/month	Included
Travel expenses - all costs associated with medical screening and embryo transfer, including mileage, airfare, hotel, parking, meal allowance, childcare, etc	Per Surrogate	Per Surrogate	Included
Start of medication fee	\$500	\$500	Included
Embryo transfer	\$750	\$750	Included
Maternity clothes	\$800	\$800	Included
C-section fee	\$2,500	\$2,500	Included
Lost wages	Per Surrogate	Per surrogate	Included
Surrogate life insurance	\$500	\$500	Included
Professional independent review of surrogate health insurance policy	Included for initial match	Included	Included
Surrogate health/medical insurance	\$5,000-\$28,000	\$5,000-\$28,000	\$5,000-\$28,000
Legal (execute surrogacy contract, establish parentage, court costs)	\$7,000-\$18,000	\$7,000-\$18,000	Included
Total Approximate Cost	\$100,000-\$160,000	\$100,000-\$160,000	\$132,350

Expenses Not Included

Multiple fee (twin pregnancy) <i>(Standard & Unlimited Packages Only)</i>	\$8,000
Double embryo transfer <i>(Fixed Package Only)</i> (additional \$20,000 due upon medical clearance)	\$20,000
Additional Surrogate compensation (i.e., location/experience/request - due upon medical clearance)	\$5,000-\$15,000
Fertility center medical screening and outside monitoring	\$7,000
Fertility center IVF cycle, i.e., medications, egg retrieval, embryo transfer	\$25,000-\$53,000+
Newborn insurance expense	\$6,000-\$30,000+
Any egg donor expenses if applicable	TBD





“ Our history with FSC has been spectacular from start to finish. We are a couple from Mexico who has made their dream come true thanks to them. From start to finish they have been hand in hand with us, on difficult days (because we have to mention it, there are also in this climb and down of emotions) and in the happiest too. All doubts always answered in time and form. All the legal, medical, financial and everything you can imagine, are all seamed perfectly to make this trip as "light in charge" as possible. I want to thank infinitely that today we hold our baby in our arms, we had a spectacular surrogate that has given birth to a completely healthy baby. I recommend 100 % this agency, people from outside the country, take this excellent option into account. Thanks to the whole team!

Parents J&M - Mexico

Egg Donation Program

If you require an Egg Donor, the following fees apply, in addition to the fees listed on the previous page. Amounts are estimated and exact costs will vary with every egg donor.

Family Source Consultants Professional Fee \$10,300

Due upon reservation of donor

Donor Compensation \$8,000 – \$10,000**

Will vary based on prior experience Donation 1: \$8,000
Donation 2: \$9,000
Donation 3-6: \$10,000

Donor Mental Health Evaluation Included in Agency Fee

Attorney: Egg Donor | Review legal contract **Included in Agency Fee**

Attorney: Intended Parent | Prepare legal contract **Included in Agency Fee**
I hope you like it!

Escrow Management Service Included in Agency Fee

Donor Insurance Included in Agency Fee

Travel and Incidentals | Will vary based on location **\$1,000 – \$6,000+**

Possible fees associated with travel include mileage, parking, airfare, hotel accommodations, meal allowance, travel companion for egg retrieval, etc.

* If the donor does not receive medical clearance from the intended parent(s) fertility center, the agency fee paid will be applied towards the selection of a new donor. If Intended Parent(s) does not proceed with a new egg donor via FSC, the agency fee minus hard cost expenses will be refunded.

Intended Parent(s) can hold an egg donor for up to three business days. If payment is not received within three business days, the donor will then become available for matching.

** The Egg Donor's compensation, as well as incidentals, i.e., travel expenses, etc. are held in escrow. The egg donor compensation combined with incidental funds are due within five (5) business days upon receipt of egg donor medical clearance from the recipient parents' fertility center.


*** The Egg Donor's health/life insurance policy includes a \$250,000 accidental medical expenses benefit, a \$100,000 accidental death benefit, and additional benefits for travel accidents, paralysis, and disability.

We accept agency fee payments via major cards (American Express, Visa, Master Card, and Discover), Zelle, personal/bank checks, or wire.

“ Thank you for everything
you’ve done for us! We
finally have our baby boy
who is the most beautiful
and precious. Many thanks!
May God bless you!

Parents I&K - Taiwan



A close-up photograph of a woman with long dark hair, wearing a grey and white striped off-the-shoulder top and a delicate necklace with a small floral pendant. She is holding a newborn baby in a matching striped sling. The baby is sleeping peacefully with its eyes closed. The background is softly blurred, showing light-colored curtains.

“ We would like to
thank you for all
your support in our
journey. Everything
has been much easier
because of you.
Thank you from the
bottom of our hearts.

Parents I&S -Dubai

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Frequently Asked Questions

Does FSC accept Intended Parents who are unmarried?

Absolutely, we do not discriminate against any person based on marital status.

What if I'm not affiliated with a specialist (reproductive endocrinologist)?

Family Source is happy to recommend successful fertility centers to you.

How many embryos are usually transferred?

This can vary on all different aspects. The reproductive endocrinologist will guide you in making a well-informed decision, based on several factors, one of which is embryo quality. Typically, if the embryos are considered to be of very good or excellent quality, the reproductive endocrinologist will recommend that one embryo is transferred. The Intended Parents and Surrogate will need to agree (and this will be in the contract) how many embryos the Surrogate is willing to transfer.

How much contact will I have with my Intended Parents or Surrogate throughout the process and beyond?

This is a decision Intended Parents will need to make depending on your own level of comfort. Some Intended Parents prefer a lot of contact throughout the pregnancy; i.e., regular updates via e-mail and/or phone, and the expectation to attend many of the doctor appointments (RE and OB) with their Surrogate. It may be highly important to the Intended Parents to be “included” in the pregnancy. Similarly, Surrogates may also like the prospect of a close relationship with their Intended Parents. Surrogates and Intended Parents oftentimes have a life-long friendship—even after the birth of the baby/ies—and in many cases, this is a completely realistic notion.

A percentage of Intended Parents and Surrogates commit to a fairly low level of contact—perhaps occasional updates or phone calls—but do not necessarily want or need a close relationship throughout the pregnancy and post delivery. This may be viewed by some as a “business relationship” of sorts. The Intended Parent/s may not be able to (or may choose not to) attend doctor appointments and may not meet the Surrogate throughout the pregnancy until time of delivery. Surrogates may be comfortable with this type of relationship because, although they are fulfilled in helping someone else have children, it isn’t crucial to them that they develop a strong relationship with their Intended Parent/s. Of course there are many degrees of what constitutes a “close” relationship, and there are many scenarios that are somewhere in between the different ends of the spectrum mentioned above. Family Source believes that it is most important that, regardless of the expectations you have of your Intended Parent-Surrogate relationship, you agree during the matching process and when entering into a contract together to make every effort to follow through with expectations.



“ The further I get in the process, the happier I am that I signed with FSC. Everyone is so friendly and helpful.

Surrogate Amber -
Wisconsin



“ I am so happy to see my baby girl. She cannot come to the world without you. Thank you for everything.

Parents H&Y - Taiwan

What are the laws regarding surrogacy in the United States?

Family Source only accepts Surrogates into our program who reside in the United States. There currently is not a nationwide law regarding surrogacy in the United States; rather, each state has its' own surrogacy laws. Fortunately, our agency is located in Illinois, Florida, Texas and California – the MOST surrogacy-friendly states in the United States. Keep in mind, even if Intended Parents live in a state or country where surrogacy or “paid surrogacy” is considered illegal (or the laws are undefined) this does not mean they cannot pursue surrogacy to build their family. It simply means that Intended Parents will be matched with a Surrogate who lives and will deliver in a “surrogacy-friendly” state. Surrogacy laws in the United States and around the world are ever-changing; Family Source is happy to recommend Intended Parents to a reputable collaborative reproduction attorney who can provide them with professional legal counsel.

Can I choose the gender of my child?

Yes! You may choose to have your embryos genetically tested prior to implantation.

“ Our journey with FSC was great. They really made sure to answer all our questions before and during the surrogacy process. They have a very warm, professional and personal approach, which was reassuring to us and helped us choose them over many other agencies we researched. Our case manager was amazing, making sure that we had all the information we needed at each stage of the process and ensured that we connected to the right legal and related services that we needed. They are familiar with the top fertility clinics, which was a big help.

Parents E&E - California



Why is Family Source Consultants the agency for me?

Our passion, as well as our personal and professional experience! FSC has been a leading Surrogacy and Egg Donation agency in North America since 2007. FSC is a member of ASRM (The American Society of Reproductive Medicine), RESOLVE (The National Infertility Association) and SEEDS (The Society for Ethics in Egg Donation and Surrogacy) and CARA (Chicago Area Reproductive Association).

We are third party reproduction experts who have a deep passion for assisting others with their family building endeavors through Surrogacy and/or Egg Donation. FSC comes highly recommended by many of the top and most respected fertility centers throughout the United States.

FSC is happy to answer any questions you may have and meet with you to discuss your specific needs, so that you will be as informed as possible about whether FSC is the right agency for your family.



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