

American Surrogacy

Our Programs

We've created [three comprehensive programs](#) to address key concerns and make your journey seamless and successful. This PDF also details the services included in each program and their costs.

Independent Program: [You Find the Surrogate](#)

If you've identified a surrogate or plan to find a surrogate on your own, our Independent Program can help you navigate the process, get the services needed to successfully complete your journey and make it easier for surrogates to complete.

These three stages of the **Independent Program** make it cost-effective and easy to complete.

1. **FREE** initial screening.
2. If your surrogate passes the initial screening, a **one-time fee of \$5,000** provides you an in-depth screening for as many surrogates as you bring us until one becomes fully qualified.
3. **\$12,000** for complete case management.

Foundation and Limited Risk Programs:

[We Find the Surrogate - 2 Programs to Choose From](#)

Our Foundation and Limited Risk Programs are full-service programs designed to save time and money by matching you with a thoroughly screened surrogate, helping you become a parent faster.

What Both Programs Deliver:

- Industry-leading 1 – 4 month average wait times: Find out the 3 ways we help you [become a parent faster](#).
- An investment in marketing and outreach to find more qualified surrogates: Find out [why marketing matters](#).
- We don't match you too early with a surrogate: Find out why matching too early [costs you time and money](#).
- We carefully control the ratio of surrogates to intended parents: Find out how this keeps our [wait times consistently low](#).

The Independent Program

This program is for families who have found a surrogate or plan to find a surrogate on their own. We've designed this program to be more cost-effective and easier to complete.

Learn more about some of the challenges of finding a surrogate on your own [here](#).

Below, you'll see a breakdown of what's offered.

Stage 1: Free Initial Screening Medical and social information form review and assessment	Cost: FREE
Stage 2: Advanced Screening Screening for <i>unlimited surrogates</i> you locate that need screened. <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Psychological assessment• Criminal background checks• Past pregnancy medical records reviewed by a registered nurse• Health insurance review• Thorough interviews with the surrogate and her support system	One-Time Payment: \$5,000
Stage 3: Complete Case Management Coordination with: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Fertility clinics• Assisted reproductive technology attorneys• Medication schedule• Outside monitoring• Travel arrangements• Surrogate expenses• Escrow company• 3rd party insurance assistance• Case management with the intended parents and surrogates• Support and education on your journey• Administrative duties• Hospital plan for labor and delivery <p>We work your surrogacy journey from start to finish.</p> <p><i>In addition to our case management fee, please note that you will be financially responsible for all the necessary steps and out of pocket medical costs to complete your journey.</i></p>	Cost: \$12,000

The Foundation Program

This program is similar to how most surrogacy agencies charge for services. It is a **pay-as-you-go program** that offers a lower starting cost but does require more potential out-of-pocket fees for services if the match falls through or disrupts for any reason.

Find out how we maintain a consistent 1 – 4 months wait time [here](#).

First Payment <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Activation fee	Due During Activation: \$32,400
Second Payment <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Match fee• Surrogate base compensation• Surrogate expenses* (i.e. travel / lodging to IVF clinic, possible lost wages / bedrest / maternity clothes / child care)• Legal and professional support fees (includes gestational carrier agreement and parentage orders)• Medical and insurance expenses*• 3rd party escrow services* <p><i>In the event that you have no embryos remaining and a baby was not born, the match fee is fully refundable.</i></p> <p><i>*These fee ranges are estimates.</i></p>	Estimated Fees Due During Match: \$83,000 - 137,000+
	Average* Total Cost: \$115,000+
Expenses Not Included In Total Average Cost <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Intended parent travel• IVF clinic / medications / embryo transfers• Intended parent requests such as pumping breast milk	

The Limited Risk Program

Financial Protection Program

This program is designed to protect you from financial loss in case your surrogacy journey encounters challenges such as:

- Surrogate not approved by the clinic
- Embryo transfer failure
- Pregnancy failure

If any of these situations occur, the fees associated with that case will either be applied to your next attempt or refunded to you. This ensures you won't have to pay these expenses multiple times for an unsuccessful outcome.

Covered Fee Categories

The program covers key expenses, including:

- Medical Screening and Clinic Procedure Costs
- Surrogate Support and Living Expenses
- Insurance and Legal Fees

Discover how we consistently maintain a 1-4 month wait time [here](#).

<h3>First Payment</h3> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Activation fee • Parent protection 	<p>First Payment Due at Activation: \$41,900</p>
<h3>Second Payment</h3> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Match fee • Surrogate base compensation • Surrogate expenses (i.e. travel / lodging to IVF clinic, possible lost wages / bedrest / maternity clothes / child care) • Legal and professional support fees (Includes gestational carrier agreement) • Intended parent legal fee (Parentage orders during pregnancy) • Medical and insurance expenses 	<p>Estimated Fees Due During Match: \$128,000 - 137,000+</p> <hr/> <p>Average* Total Cost: \$169,900-179,000+</p>
<p><i>In the event that you have no embryos remaining and a baby was not born, the Match Fees, Intended Parent Legal Fees, Unused Medical and Insurance Expenses, and any Unused Surrogate Compensation are all refundable.</i></p>	
<h3>Expenses Not Included In Total Average Cost</h3>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • IVF medications and transfers • Newborn expenses • Surrogate out of pocket delivery expenses 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Intended parent travel • Intended parent requests such as pumping breast milk