



SURROGACY 101

A BRIEF OVERVIEW

In a typical gestational surrogacy arrangement, intended parents create embryos through **in vitro fertilization (IVF)**. One or more of these embryos is implanted in a surrogate, who carries the child or children to term, but has no genetic relationship to them. These make up the vast majority of modern surrogacy arrangements. Depending on the situation, an egg donor may be needed.

INFERTILITY IN THE UNITED STATES

7.3M
PEOPLE AFFECTED

BABIES

28,000
ESTIMATED NUMBER OF BABIES BORN THROUGH SURROGACY FROM 1976 TO 2008



NOTABLE YEAR

1981

THE YEAR IVF WAS SUCCESSFULLY USED IN THE UNITED STATES.

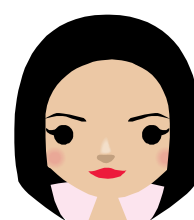
LGBT INTENDED PARENTS (IPs)



SAME-SEX COUPLES CAN USE SURROGACY TO START THEIR FAMILIES

SURROGACY AND THE LAW

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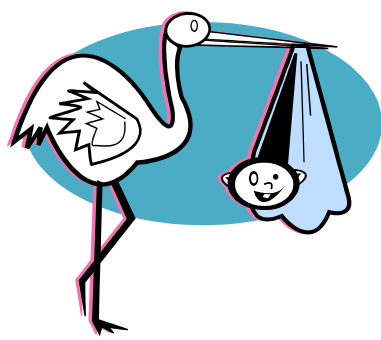


TYPES OF SURROGACY

- GESTATIONAL:** SURROGATE IS ONLY THE CARRIER
- TRADITIONAL:** SURROGATE IS THE EGG DONOR AND CARRIER

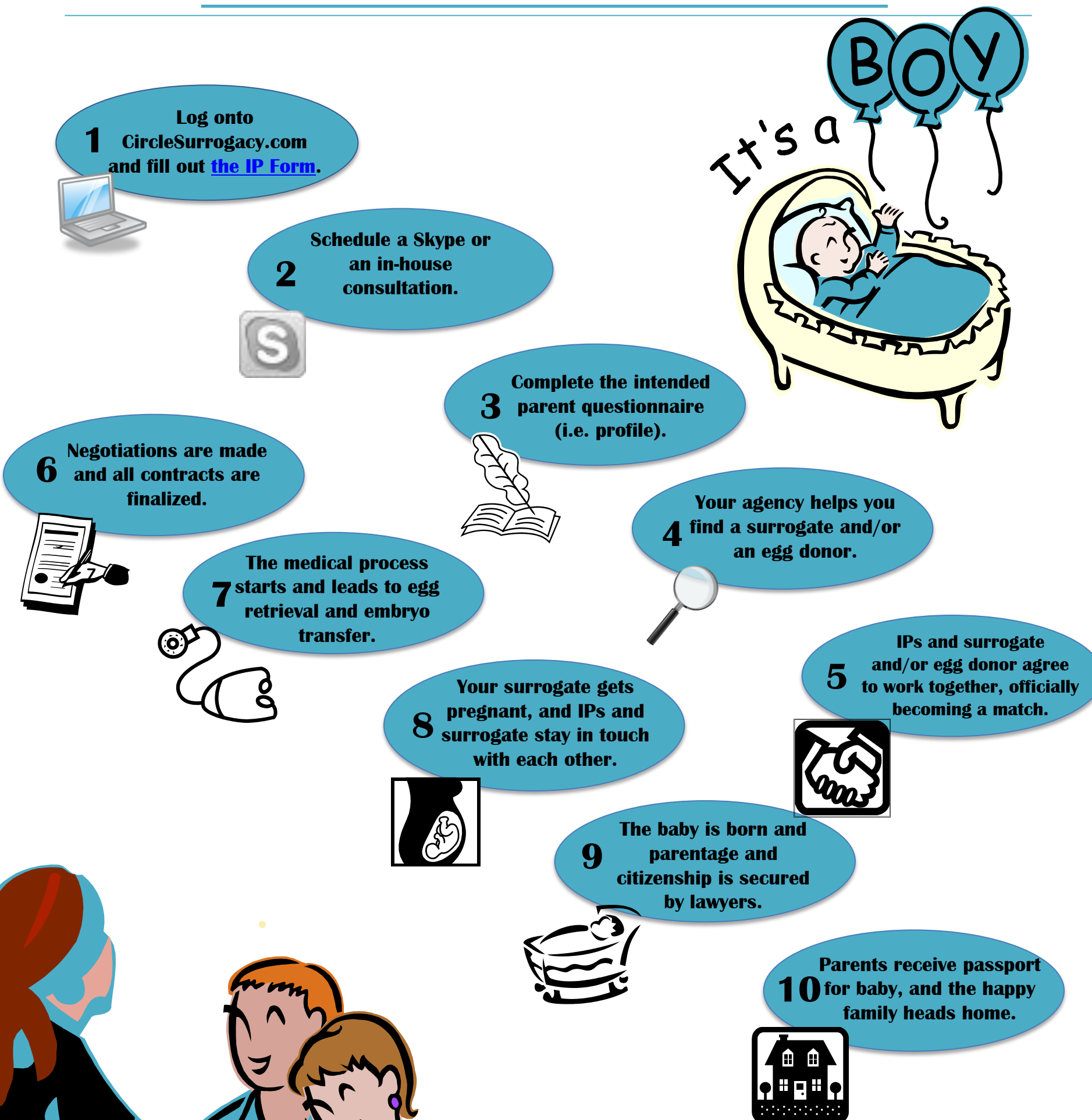
AVERAGE OVERALL COST OF SURROGACY

\$80K-\$120K



THE PROCESS

HOW TO START AND COMPLETE THE PROCESS



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