

Miracle Surrogacy Reaffirms Its Mexico-Based Delivery Policy Following New U.S. Measures Addressing Birth Tourism

Miracle Surrogacy emphasizes its longstanding decision not to arrange for Mexican surrogates to travel to the United States to give birth.

MEXICO CITY, MEXICO, August 12, 2026 /EINPresswire.com/ -- [Miracle Surrogacy](#), the longest-established surrogacy agency in Mexico, has reaffirmed its longstanding policy that surrogate pregnancies and deliveries coordinated through its programs take place in Mexico.



The announcement follows newly announced measures by the United States government addressing birth tourism and the use of visitor visas by individuals traveling to the United States primarily to give birth.

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Although the complete legal effect of the newly announced measures will depend on the final official language and their implementation by U.S. authorities, they highlight the importance of transparency concerning the purpose of international travel during pregnancy.

Miracle Surrogacy does not participate in arrangements in which a Mexican surrogate is sent to the United States for the purpose of giving birth. The agency believes that these arrangements can create unnecessary immigration, legal, medical and personal-safety risks, particularly if the actual purpose of the surrogate's travel is not fully disclosed to the appropriate authorities.

“For Miracle Surrogacy, doing the right thing means protecting the surrogate, the [intended parents](#) and the child throughout the entire journey,” said Brian Yaden, founder and CEO of Miracle Surrogacy. “We have never believed that moving a surrogate across the border for delivery is necessary or responsible. Our programs are designed for surrogates to receive care and deliver in Mexico, while intended parents receive detailed preparation for the legal and consular processes that follow the birth.”

Miracle Surrogacy Does Not Arrange Cross-Border Deliveries in the United States

Miracle Surrogacy works with intended parents from the United States, Canada, Europe, Australia and other regions through surrogacy programs conducted in Mexico.

The agency distinguishes international surrogacy from a cross-border delivery arrangement. International intended parents may travel to Mexico for fertility treatment, pregnancy-related appointments, the birth of their child and post-birth procedures. However, the surrogate remains in Mexico and gives birth under the medical and professional structure established for her pregnancy.

Miracle Surrogacy does not arrange for Mexican surrogates to enter the United States to deliver a baby. The agency’s position is based on its commitment to transparent processes and the belief that a surrogate should not be placed in a situation that could expose her to immigration scrutiny, visa complications, interrupted medical care or other avoidable risks.

International travel late in pregnancy can also remove a surrogate from her established physicians, support network and care team at a particularly sensitive stage of the journey. Miracle Surrogacy believes that protecting the surrogate’s health, dignity and stability must remain a central consideration in every program.

U.S. Guidance Already Addresses Birth Tourism

The U.S. Department of State defines birth tourism as travel undertaken primarily for the purpose of giving birth in the United States so that the child may obtain U.S. citizenship. Existing



State Department guidance states that birth tourism is not a permissible basis for obtaining a visitor visa.

The recently announced U.S. measures bring additional attention to this issue. Miracle Surrogacy will continue monitoring official government guidance and consulting qualified legal professionals as more information concerning the scope and implementation of the measures becomes available.

Miracle Surrogacy does not provide immigration advice. Intended parents and other individuals requiring guidance about U.S. immigration or visa requirements should consult a qualified immigration attorney.

Structured Preparation for Intended Parents

American citizens regularly pursue assisted reproductive technology and surrogacy programs outside the United States. The U.S. Department of State publishes specific guidance concerning assisted reproductive technology and surrogacy abroad, including information about citizenship, Consular Reports of Birth Abroad (CRBA) and passport applications.

Miracle Surrogacy prepares intended parents for the documentation and post-birth procedures applicable to their circumstances. This preparation begins before delivery and continues throughout the active post-birth process.

During the meeting, representatives from the U.S. embassy pointed out that intended parents working with Miracle Surrogacy always arrive for their babies' passport appointments well prepared, with their surrogacy contract, medical reports and other documents in order. Having all surrogacy-related documents in order makes it easier for embassy personnel to issue U.S. passports. "We are very proud of the feedback we received from the U.S. embassy about the administrative assistance we provide our intended parents, making their exit process very easy," Yaden said.

Miracle Surrogacy attributes this preparation to its structured pre-birth guidance, detailed document reviews and continuing support during the post-birth process.

The meeting and feedback should not be interpreted as an endorsement, accreditation or formal approval of Miracle Surrogacy by the U.S. government, the U.S. Embassy or any U.S. consulate.

Consular and Court Timelines Depend on Each Case

The documentation required after a surrogacy birth depends on several factors, including the intended parents' nationality, family structure, genetic relationship to the child and the requirements of the applicable government authorities.

Appointment availability is determined independently by each embassy or consulate and may vary according to location, demand and the circumstances of the individual application. Miracle Surrogacy cannot control or guarantee consular appointment or passport-processing times.

The agency does, however, help intended parents understand the usual steps, prepare the anticipated documentation and develop realistic expectations for the period following birth.

Similarly, the duration of any Mexican court proceeding depends on the facts of the case, the court involved, its workload and the applicable judicial process. Miracle Surrogacy may provide intended parents with estimates based on previous experience, but each case is different and no specific court completion date can be guaranteed.

Protecting Surrogates and Families Through Transparent Practices

Miracle Surrogacy believes responsible international surrogacy requires more than completing medical procedures. It also requires clear contracts, informed participants, appropriate medical care, realistic expectations and coordination among medical, legal and administrative professionals.

“Our responsibility is not to look for shortcuts,” Yaden said. “Our responsibility is to establish a process that protects everyone involved, respects applicable requirements and gives intended parents the information and preparation they need to return home safely with their baby.”

Miracle Surrogacy will continue reviewing developments concerning birth tourism, international surrogacy and post-birth documentation. The agency remains committed to programs that prioritize transparency, responsible family building and the health, safety and dignity of every surrogate.

For information about Miracle Surrogacy and its surrogacy programs in Mexico, visit www.miraclesurrogacy.com.

Frequently Asked Questions

How does a child born through surrogacy obtain citizenship?

Citizenship depends on the laws of the intended parents’ country and the circumstances of the individual case. It is not granted solely because the child was born through surrogacy. For eligible children of U.S. citizens born in Mexico, the intended parents generally apply for a Consular Report of Birth Abroad and a U.S. passport. U.S. consular officials review evidence concerning the child’s birth, legal parentage, any required genetic or gestational relationship, and the U.S. citizen parent’s citizenship and physical presence in the United States.

Does Miracle Surrogacy send Mexican surrogates to the United States to give birth?

No. Miracle Surrogacy does not arrange for Mexican surrogates to travel to the United States for the purpose of delivering a baby. Pregnancies and deliveries coordinated through Miracle Surrogacy's Mexico programs take place in Mexico.

Is international surrogacy the same as birth tourism?

No. International surrogacy generally involves intended parents pursuing a surrogacy program outside their country of residence. Birth tourism refers to traveling to the United States primarily to give birth so that the child may obtain U.S. citizenship.

Why does Miracle not participate in cross-border delivery arrangements?

Miracle Surrogacy believes these arrangements can create immigration, legal, medical, logistical and personal-safety risks. International travel late in pregnancy may also remove the surrogate from her established medical team and support network.

Can American intended parents pursue surrogacy abroad?

U.S. citizens pursue assisted reproductive technology and surrogacy programs in other countries. The U.S. Department of State publishes guidance concerning citizenship and documentation for children born abroad through assisted reproductive technology or surrogacy. Whether a child acquires U.S. citizenship depends on the facts of the individual case and the applicable legal requirements.

How does Miracle Surrogacy prepare intended parents for the post-birth process?

Miracle Surrogacy provides information about the anticipated documentation, procedural steps and appointments associated with the intended parents' individual circumstances. Its team supports intended parents before birth and throughout the active post-birth process.

How long does it take to obtain a consular appointment or passport?

Availability and processing times vary by embassy or consulate and by individual case. These timelines are controlled by government authorities and cannot be guaranteed by Miracle Surrogacy or the intended parents. Typically, intended parents return home within the next two weeks after the Mexican birth certificate issuance.

How long does a Mexican court process take?

Every case is different. Timing may depend on the circumstances of the family, the court involved, its workload, and the applicable judicial procedures. Miracle Surrogacy can provide an

estimate based on experience, but cannot promise a particular completion date.

About Miracle Surrogacy

Miracle Surrogacy, headquartered in Miami, is the longest-established surrogacy agency in Mexico, with more than 12 years providing full-service surrogacy programs. The company is also the largest, with more than 75 English-speaking staff members at offices in Cancun, Mexico; Mexico City, Mexico; and Mérida, Mexico. Miracle Surrogacy's surrogacy programs in Mexico are affordable, at approximately one-third the cost of surrogacy in the United States.

The company assists in the birth of nearly 250 babies per year, more than all other surrogacy agencies in Mexico combined. Miracle Surrogacy is renowned for its transparency and ethical treatment of surrogates, which has resulted in it being the only surrogacy agency with a surplus of fully screened surrogates, with embryo transfers conducted in only 8 to 10 weeks. Miracle Surrogacy also has the largest egg bank in Mexico with more than 300 internationally diverse egg donors.

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