

Application Guide for Surrogates

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SurrogacyUK is a not for profit organisation and the UK's largest surrogacy community. Our mission is to create, complete and support families through ethical surrogacy.

Established in 2002 by a group of experienced surrogates, SurrogacyUK was founded on the principles that trust, mutual respect, and friendship are essential for successful, ethical surrogacy journeys. We believe these values are fundamental not just for surrogacy journeys, but as guiding principles that extends beyond the surrogacy journey itself.

At the heart of our ethos is *Pride in Surrogacy* and the commitment to openness, especially concerning the children born through surrogacy. We advocate for maintaining lifelong connections between

surrogates and intended parents, underpinned by the belief that every child deserves to know their origin story. Our expectation is for these relationships to evolve into lasting bonds, ensuring that the child has ongoing contact and a clear understanding of their unique story.

This belief in enduring connections and transparency forms the cornerstone of our approach, creating an environment where everyone involved in the surrogacy process feels supported, valued, and part of a larger, caring community

Member Benefits

Why choose SurrogacyUK?

At SurrogacyUK our commitment to support, expertise, and community is unwavering, whether you're a surrogate or an intended parent. Our members benefit from a journey that's not just guided, but also enriched by our 20 years of experience and tailored to meet your individual needs.

Application Coordinator

Every member benefits from the personalised guidance of a specialised Application Coordinator, ensuring a smooth start to their surrogacy journey.

Journey Management

Our dedicated team assists in every phase of your journey, ensuring a supportive 'Get To Know' period and a seamless experience from start to finish. This includes personalised assistance in establishing your surrogacy agreement, using our extensive experience while catering to your specific requirements.

Meeting and Connecting

Through our private app and members' HUB, we provide a safe and secure space for

surrogates and intended parents to meet and connect.

We offer online search facilities for surrogates to find the IPs they want to help while supporting them to make an informed and well-aligned choice to help establish a successful surrogacy team.

Fertility Testing

We provide comprehensive fertility testing through Hertility for all surrogates looking to undertake straight surrogacy or known egg donation.





Comprehensive Support Network

Access to our members' HUB, interactive workshops, and wellbeing sessions provide an inclusive and informative environment. We provide online and in-person spaces for our community to meet in a safe and pressure-free environment.

Expert Resources and Preparation

Thorough application reviews, preparation courses, and workshops we ensure everyone is well-prepared and informed for their surrogacy journey.

Tailored Assistance

Including help with expense management and liaising with clinics, employers, and healthcare professionals

Social and Wellbeing Events

Through engagement in multiple, free social and wellbeing events, both online and in person, our members build a mutually supportive community.

Dedicated Surrogate Mentor

Provides individual support throughout your journey - from writing a profile, to helping to engage with intended parents, to working through expenses our mentor team are ready to support you.

Family Support

We extend our support to include your partner and children, ensuring their well-being throughout your journey.

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The SurrogacyUK

Application Process



Submit application to join SurrogacyUK

Fill in the online application form via www.surrogacyuk.org – its FREE to apply and we cover all your costs to join



Introductory consultation call

With our Surrogacy Applications Coordinator where you can ask any questions you might have.



Complete all your checks online

ID verification, DBS checks, health and wellness checks and welfare of the child checks using our online systems



Undertake fertility testing

Applicants who are looking at undertaking straight surrogacy or known egg donation will receive FREE fertility testing via Hertility.



Watch information sessions online

Review the information whenever it suits you, share with family members who might also want to find out more.



One to one consultation

To review your application and tailor our support to meet your unique needs as a surrogate.

Who are our Intended Parents?



Thank you for taking the time to read about some of our intended parents within our organisation. Here we feature just a small selection of the IPs currently awaiting the perfect surrogacy journey, with more profiles being looked at by our member surrogates every day.

At SurrogacyUK, our intended parents come from diverse backgrounds, each with a unique story but united by a medical need for surrogacy. Whether they are couples or solo IPs, our community includes heterosexual and same-sex couples who may be starting or even completing their families.

IP at SurrogacyUK range in age from their 20s to early 50s and hail from all corners of the UK. They may face various medical conditions, such as cancer, hysterectomy, MRKH, and others, which bring them to the path of surrogacy.

What sets our IPs apart is their desire for a long-lasting relationship with their surrogate. They value openness and transparency throughout the surrogacy journey and aspire to have their surrogate remain a part of their lives—as a friend to both them and their children.

At SurrogacyUK, we believe in creating meaningful connections that support both surrogates and intended parents on their journeys. If these stories resonate with you, we would love for you to join us in making dreams come true.

Meet some of our Intended Parents



Mat, Caroline & Rae

"We are an adventure loving family who love our daughter more than the world. It took 5 years of treatment and two losses before we finally welcomed Rae to the World. We've sadly lost another after Rae due to my medical conditions which affect me in pregnancy. We have one remaining embryo and hope surrogacy will give us a chance of a sibling for Rae who is the most incredible girl and would be the most loving big sister."

"I was born with MRKH (absence of the uterus), but functioning ovaries. I have always desperately wanted children, but have only recently been in the position to start my journey. I did 2 rounds of IVF earlier in the year, the 2nd resulted in 2 embryos being created using donor sperm. Unfortunately, due to health reasons, my family and friends are unable to help. So, I have joined SUK in hope of finding a surrogate who can help me start a family."



Jasmin



James & Bobby

"Family is really important to both of us and we would love to have a family of our own. We joined SUK after we followed our friends journey forming a team and creating a family , two beautiful children a boy and a girl, with their amazing surrogate. We hope to do the same one day."

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Boodie & Dan

"We were drawn to Surrogacy in the UK and SUK in particular because we favour the friendship first and altruistic nature of this process. We have always been conscious of our conversations with our future child and we wanted them to be aware of how they came in to being. We feel that the SUK approach is aligned to our values, and wanted this journey to reflect that."

"We had a car accident 6 years ago which resulted in me (Dani) sustaining a spinal injury. I am unable to carry because of the fatal safety to baby and to myself. We tragically lost our daughter Darcy in the accident, she was 4. Darcy showed us the joys and love of being a parent. We very much know what we are missing and we can't wait to one day become parents again."



Dani & Dan



Our ethos of trust, mutual respect, and friendship is not just a statement; it's the heartbeat of our community.

Whether you are looking to become a surrogate or an intended parent, SurrogacyUK offers a pathway filled with understanding, care, and expertise.

Here, every member is valued, supported, and is an integral part of our organisation's mission to create and grow families and forge lifelong bonds.

Your journey with us is more than just a process: it's an experience enriched with knowledge, support, and a sense of true belonging.

For more information or to start your application, please visit our website or contact us directly.



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