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You start the conversation.

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SURROGATE PREGNANCY



Surrogacy is not legal in Spain, so those who want to work with a surrogate mother must go abroad. Agencies, in exchange for money, will hire women who are willing to carry another person's baby to term and promise to give it up after giving birth.

Answer the following questions to express your point of view.

- Would you legalize surrogacy in Spain? Why / Why not?
- Which should be the legal limits to surrogacy?
- What other options are there for couples who cannot have babies?