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Foreword

Having a baby is one of the most special things in life and unfortunately for those with fertility issues cost can be a major barrier.

About one in six Australian couples who are trying to fall pregnant are affected by infertility.

The stress and anxiety of trying for months, and sometimes years, without falling pregnant is then exacerbated with the high cost of fertility testing and treatment.

We want to change that and help more South Australians start and grow their families.

That's why we have a plan to make IVF more accessible for those who need it.

Peter Malinauskas MP
Premier of South Australia



A re-elected Malinauskas Labor Government will introduce South Australia's first ever fertility rebates to make IVF treatment more affordable for thousands of South Australian women and families.

Our IVF rebate scheme will provide South Australian women and families:

- A \$250 rebate for pre-IVF fertility testing
- A \$2,000 rebate for fertility treatment

In some cases, this will cover almost half the cost of an IVF cycle, with out-of-pocket costs upwards of \$4,000 per treatment.

Eligible women will be able to access a fertility treatment rebate for up to two IVF cycles.

The new rebates will help thousands of South Australian women and families each year with the costs of fertility treatments statewide.

Through an \$18.5 million funding injection over four years, we will establish a scheme that is similar, but more generous to that offered in New South Wales.

The South Australian scheme will be open to a wider cohort of women and families through a higher income threshold and the ability to access more than one cycle.

Eligibility

To be eligible for the rebate women must:

- Be a South Australian resident
- Have incurred an out-of-pocket cost from a registered provider
- Have accessed the treatment from 1 July 2026

They must also meet one of the following household income eligibility criteria:

- Receive Family Tax Benefit
- Have a Health Care Card
- Have a household income of \$180,000 or less



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