



Surrogate caught drinking, forced to abort baby

Description

Marty and Melinda were busy with their careers and couldn't have kids.

They retired early and moved to the Caribbean to start a family.

They chose surrogacy over IVF due to unreliable local medical services.

After a bad experience with their first surrogate, they found a better agency in California.

The new surrogate had to follow strict rules, but she broke one by drinking alcohol.

They terminated the pregnancy and cut ties with the surrogate.

With a different agency for their second child, the process was smooth and successful.

The couple paid over \$300,000 for both children via surrogacy.

They advise others to research well and be prepared for unexpected situations.

Vocabulary List:

1. **Surrogacy** /'sɜːrəgəsi/ (noun): The process of carrying and delivering a child for another person.
2. **Terminated** /'tɜːrminetɪd/ (verb): To bring to an end or halt.
3. **Agency** /'eɪdʒənsi/ (noun): A business or organization that provides a particular service.
4. **Unreliable** /,ʌn.rɪ'laɪ.ə.bəl/ (adjective): Not able to be depended on or trusted.
5. **Experience** /ɪk'spɪəriəns/ (noun): The knowledge or skill acquired by a period of practical experience.
6. **Unexpected** /,ʌnɪk'spektɪd/ (adjective): Not expected; unforeseen.

Vocabulary quizzes

Multiple Choice (Select the Correct answer for each question.)

1. Which medical condition is characterized by the degeneration of joint cartilage and the underlying bone?



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- Option: Osteoarthritis
Option: Inflammation
Option: Obesity
Option: Protein Intake
2. Which nutrient is essential for tissue repair and muscle building?
- Option: Protein
Option: Cartilage
Option: Activity
Option: Harmful
3. What can trigger cravings and influence food intake?
- Option: Cues
Option: Relieve
Option: Consumption
Option: Surrogacy
4. Which type of pasta sauce is typically creamy and rich?
- Option: Casserole
Option: Alfredo
Option: Spinach
Option: Roasted
5. What can increasing protein intake do for muscle growth?
- Option: Reducing
Option: Boost
Option: Terminated
Option: Unreliable
6. Which family-building method involves a woman carrying a child for another individual or couple?
- Option: Experience
Option: Surrogacy
Option: Unexpected
Option: Agency
7. What serves as a cushion between bones to prevent them from rubbing together?
- Option: Inflammation
Option: Protein Intake
Option: Cartilage
Option: Activity
8. What plays a key role in maintaining joint health and mobility?
- Option: Harmful



- Option: Reductions
- Option: Activity
- Option: Cravings

9. What do certain medications aim to do for individuals with chronic pain?

- Option: Obese
- Option: Protein
- Option: Intake
- Option: Relieve

10. What is a substance that provides nourishment essential for growth and the maintenance of life?

- Option: Consumption
- Option: Nutrient
- Option: Cues
- Option: Appealing

Gap-Fill (Fill in the blanks with the correct word from the vocabulary list.)

11. _____ can contribute to joint pain and swelling in osteoarthritis.
12. What are commonly prescribed to help _____ symptoms of osteoarthritis?
13. Being _____ can increase the risk of developing osteoarthritis.
14. Excessive consumption of unhealthy foods can be _____ to joint health.
15. Monitoring food _____ is important for overall health.
16. Healthy food choices can still be delicious and _____ to the taste buds.
17. _____ stress on joints through proper exercise can help manage osteoarthritis.
18. _____ vegetables can be a nutritious addition to one's diet.
19. Eating protein-rich foods can help _____ muscle development.
20. The surrogacy agreement was unexpectedly _____ by the agency.

Matching Sentences (Match each definition to the correct word from the vocabulary list.)

21. The smooth shiny tissue known as ensures that bones move smoothly against each other.



22. Regular physical can help reduce the risk of osteoarthritis and improve joint function.
23. Athletes often increase their intake to support muscle repair and growth.
24. Water is an essential that plays a crucial role in various bodily functions.
25. The process of involves one woman carrying a child for another individual or couple.
26. Chronic joint can lead to tissue damage and further degeneration in osteoarthritis patients.
27. Increasing vitamin intake can the immune system's ability to fight off infections.
28. The facilitated the surrogacy process and matched the intended parents with a suitable surrogate.
29. Going through the surrogacy journey was an emotional and unique for both the intended parents and the surrogate.
30. A creamy pasta sauce like can be a decadent treat for pasta lovers.

Answer

Multiple Choice: 1. Osteoarthritis 2. Protein 3. Cues 4. Alfredo 5. Boost 6. Surrogacy 7. Cartilage 8. Activity 9. Relieve 10. Nutrient

Gap-Fill: 11. Inflammation 12. Medications 13. Obese 14. Harmful 15. Consumption 16. Appealing 17. Reducing 18. Roasted 19. Boost 20. Terminated

Matching sentence: 1. Cartilage 2. Activity 3. Protein 4. Nutrient 5. Surrogacy 6. Inflammation 7. Boost 8. Agency 9. Experience 10. Alfredo

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