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My husband and I have been trying to conceive since we were married on April 18th, 2020. After 2 years of trying, we were finally able to see a fertility specialist. Last year my husband had a semen analysis done. He was diagnosed with male factor infertility due to low sperm count and deformed sperm. Our fertility doctor recommended IVF. IVF would cost us \$9,500 out-of-pocket in addition to medications, labs, and tests that are not included. With both our income combined, we cannot afford IVF. My husband is 45 and I am 42. Please pass SB491 so we can have the chance to start our family.

Thank you,
Jamie Gentry