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| **In vitro fertilisation (IVF) is a process used by individuals or couples who are unable to conceive naturally. The process involves a small amount of a woman’s eggs being removed from her ovaries and fertilised with sperm in a laboratory. If an egg is successfully fertilised it will be implanted into the woman in the hope that she will become pregnant.** |
| **Item 1.** **Would you/have you ever considered using IVF treatment?** Tick all that apply * Yes, I/my partner have/has had IVF treatment
* Yes, I/my partner have/has considered IVF treatment (but did not do it)
* Yes, I would definitely consider IVF treatment in the future, if I/my partner had fertility issues
* Yes, I (or wish that my partner?) would consider IVF treatment in the future to start a family in later life (but are not facing fertility issues now) e.g. social freezing
* No, I have never had, nor would I ever consider IVF treatment
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| **Item 2. What do you think the success rate of becoming pregnant through IVF is?**Possible answers given:* 0-10%
* 11-20%
* 21-30%
* 31-40%
* 41-50%
* 51-60%
* 61-70%
* 71-80%
* 81-90%
* 91-100%
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| **Item 3. What do you think should be the minimum and maximum women age limit for acceptance for IVF treatment?** * Minimum
* 18-24
* 25-34
* 35-44
* 45-54
* 55+
* N/A I do not think there should be restrictions based on age
* Maximum
* 18-24
* 25-34
* 35-44
* 45-54
* 55+
* N/A I do not think there should be restrictions based on age
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| **Item 4. In what circumstances do you think that IVF treatment should be funded privately (e.g. by individual/couple) or by the government?** * When having a first child and unable to conceive naturally
* Privately (e.g. individual/couple)
* Government
* N/A in this circumstance IVF treatment should not be available
* When having another child (in addition to any they currently have) and unable to conceive naturally
* Privately (e.g. individual/couple)
* Government
* N/A in this circumstance IVF treatment should not be available
* When fertility has been risked/sacrificed (e.g. due to cancer treatment)
* Privately (e.g. individual/couple)
* Government
* N/A in this circumstance IVF treatment should not be available
* When the decision has been made to have a child later in life (i.e. when fertility decreases)
* Privately (e.g. individual/couple)
* Government
* N/A in this circumstance IVF treatment should not be available
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| **Item 5. What do you think should be the maximum number of rounds of IVF that the government should fund for any individual/couple?** * 0
* 1
* 2
* 3
* 4
* 5
* 6 +
* There should not be a maximum limit
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| **Item 6. Why do you believe there should be a maximum limit?** Tick all that apply* Because there are other ways to have a child (i.e. adoption/surrogacy)
* Because there are better ways of allocating healthcare funds raised by taxpayers money (i.e. into other medical issues)
* Because of the potential psychological impact on the individual/couple
* Other, please specify
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| **Item 7. How much would you pay to have a child through IVF?** * €0 (£0)
* €1 - €1,000 (approx. £0.86p - £855)
* €1,001 - €5,000 (approx. £856 - £4,276)
* €5,001 - €15,000 (approx. £4,277 - £12,828)
* €15,001 - €25,000 (approx. £12,829 – £21,381)
* €25,001+ (approx. £21,382+), please specify in £ €25,001+ (approx. £21,382+), please specify in £
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| **Item 8. Do you believe that IVF treatment should be available to single women without a partner (in this situation, sperm would be provided by a donor)?*** Yes
* No
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| **Item 9. Do you believe that IVF treatment should be available to same sex female couples (in this situation, sperm would be provided by a donor)?*** Yes
* No
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| **Item 10. Do you think the use of IVF treatment will increase over the next 5 years?** * Yes, it will increase significantly
* Yes, it will increase slightly
* No, it will stay the same
* No, it will decrease
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| **Item 11. Do you think that the availability of IVF treatment encourages people to delay conception?*** Yes
* No
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| **Item 12. Do you support the practice of egg donation and sperm donation?*** Egg donation
* Yes
* No
* Sperm donation
* Yes
* No
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| **Qi. What gender are you?** * Male
* Female
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| **Qii. Are you aged?** * 16-24
* 25-34
* 35-44
* 45-54
* 55+
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| **Qv. Which of the following best describes your sexual orientation?** * Heterosexual
* Bisexual
* Homosexual
* I do not wish to divulge this information
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