## PRIVA THE JEWISH FERTILITY FUND

## The Priya Fund: Growing Jewish Families

There are many resources and treatments available for couples struggling with infertility, but those come at a heavy cost. The Priya Fund is here to help.

The Priya Fund is one of the only charitable funds in the country that provides financial assistance for fertility and adoption to Jewish couples of every Jewish denomination. The fund was created by a grateful Dallas couple, and is there to assist others with the financial challenges associated with fertility treatments and/or adoption. Couples receiving Priya grants from Jewish Family Service will also have direct access to our full range of mental health and social services while going through the highs and lows of starting a family.

The word Priya means being "fruitful" in Hebrew. It comes from one of the first instructions that G-d gave to humanity.

Since the inception of The Priya Fund, we have granted over \$80,000 to assist Jewish couples in the Dallas community in having children, resulting in 15 babies through birth or adoption.

> To learn more or to make a donation to The Priya Fund, please visit our website at www.jfsdallas.org/PRIYA

## How it works

An advisory Committee, comprised of medical doctors and lay leaders, review anonymous application on an ongoing basis, and designate allocations to couples.

When a couple is awarded a grant, it is a requirement that they supply a copy of a future treatment invoice within 180 in order to receive the funds. Funds will be distributed from a designated Rabbi's discretionary fund.

## Interested couples should go to www.jfsdallas.org/PRIYA to learn about eligibility requirements and fill out a confidential application.

Currently, we need additional funds to be able to distribute to more couples. Due to the volume of applications, priority will be given to couples without children but all couples are eligible to apply for first time support or to reapply a second time.



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