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What to Know About Fertility

According to the CDC, between 10-12% of women have difficulty getting pregnant or carrying a pregnancy to term. If you've tried unsuccessfully to become pregnant for six months, have a history of infertility or are trying to conceive after age 35, a visit with your gynecologist is recommended.

DWOG providers work with both partners to determine the cause(s).

Meet Dr. Koon!

In a time when many OB/GYNs are focusing solely on gynecology, Lee Koon, MD, FACOG still enjoys both aspects of his specialty. While he is board certified in both obstetrics & gynecology AND female pelvic medicine and reconstructive surgery, he enjoys helping both long-time and new patients through their pregnancies and deliveries.



The first steps often include

- a) a physical examination for the woman,
- b) reviewing both partners' health histories, and
- c) tracking ovulation at home.

There are many options for couples experiencing infertility and with patience and perseverance; many will achieve a full-term pregnancy.

Questions Abound During Pregnancy

During pregnancy, can I consume caffeine? Color my hair? Get a flu shot?

Questions pop up almost daily for those going through their first (and often second) pregnancy. For some peace of mind, take a look at some **common pregnancy Q & As** from the providers at Desert West.

"There is something about the partnership between doctor and patient throughout the birthing process that just can't be duplicated," he said. "For many patients, that partnership extends for months or years prior to the positive pregnancy test working to overcome fertility challenges. Working with these patients with the same goal in mind - delivery of a healthy child or children - is truly special!"

Dr. Koon joined Desert West in 2003 after earning his medical degree from the University of Tennessee and completing an internship and residency in obstetrics and gynecology at the Tulane University Medical Center. He is located at the Glendale office and is happily accepting new patients!

The Big Reveal ...Girl or Boy?

Explore our Gender Reveal Package

One of the single most anticipated times of your pregnancy is the gender reveal. As an extra option, Desert West offers a Gender Reveal Package which includes:

- * 2D ultrasound
- * Gender determination
- * Two black and white photos and keepsake folder

Total price is \$50 and guests are always welcome! Images are best between the 14th and 16th week of pregnancy. Do note that this non-diagnostic ultrasound is an optional service and does not replace any element of your prenatal care. Payment is required at the time of scheduling and there are no refunds. For more information, call 602-978-1500.

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