

30. The following are the results of the analysis of the 8,946 responses to the questions raised in the document:

	Yes	No	No opinion
Increase supply:			
for embryo research	8.0%	29.9%	62.1%
for infertility treatment	7.5%	34.6%	57.9%

On the supply of eggs, a number of respondents suggested that women who were going to have hysterectomies could be approached and asked if they would be willing to donate ovarian tissue or eggs. Others suggested that publicity should be improved to increase awareness of the need for donors.

	Yes	No	No opinion
Embryo research:			
from live donors	14.3%	24.0%	61.7%
cadavers	10.7%	29.2%	60.1%
fetuses	7.1%	58.1%	34.8%

	Yes	No	No opinion
Infertility treatment:			
from live donors	12.5%	26.0%	61.5%
cadavers	5.4%	35.3%	59.3%
fetuses	2.8%	83.2%	14.0%

Reasons given in favour

31. Many of those who expressed approval of using donated ovarian tissue in embryo research and infertility treatment were sympathetic to the distress of infertility and believed progress to relieve infertility and genetic disease to be of benefit to mankind.

32. Some people who approved embryo research and infertility treatment using tissue from all sources said that a child was a gift from God however it was achieved and that medical and scientific advances were evidence of God working through humankind.

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