Your children are very smart!

Pay **1 bead** per child to send them to an A-Level school.



Your children finished primary school with good grades.

Now, pay **1 bead** per child to send them to secondary school for one term.



Children need uniforms to look smart for school.

Pay **1 bead** per child to buy uniforms



All your children get diarrhoea from not washing their hands.

Pay **1 bead** per child for medical



Children eat so much food!

Pay **1 bead** per child to buy food for them this year.



Your children love primary school, but it is not free.

Pay **1 bead** per child to send them to school for three terms.



You forgot to put up your bed net, and all your children have malaria.

Pay **1 bead** per child for medical care.



You and your wife waited 4 years to have another child. Great job spacing your children!

(Give man a baby card)

You were able to save and keep your family healthy, toss the die to see how much you saved.





You talk to your wife about child spacing and visit the health facility together to learn more.

For planning a healthy family, toss the die to see how much you earn and get a CHILD SPACING METHOD CARD.





You decide to space your children 3 years apart and go to the health facility to choose a child spacing method.

For planning a healthy family, toss the die to see how much you earn and get a CHILD SPACING METHOD CARD.







After you learn about child spacing methods you decide to discuss them with your wife.

For planning a healthy family, toss the die to see how much you earn and get a CHILD SPACING METHOD CARD.







6 weeks after giving birth, your wife started getting injections to space the next pregnancy.

For planning a healthy family, toss the die to see how much you earn and get a CHILD SPACING METHOD CARD.







You visit the health facility with your wife to ask questions about child spacing.

For planning a healthy family, toss the die to see how much you earn and get a CHILD SPACING METHOD CARD.







Your wife gave birth **6 months** ago, and thinks she is pregnant again.

If she is pregnant, then it is a poorly spaced pregnancy. Your wife might become ill during delivery and you would need to pay medical fees.

Either play a CHILD SPACING
METHOD CARD or pay 4 beads
for medical fees AND GET
ANOTHER BABY.





Your wife gave birth **6 months** ago, and thinks she is pregnant again.

If she is pregnant, then it is a poorly spaced pregnancy. Your wife's milk will dry up. She will be unable to breastfeed your current baby.

Either play a **CHILD SPACING METHOD CARD** or pay **4 beads**for putting your child's health at risk AND **GET ANOTHER BABY.**





Your wife gave birth **6 months** ago, and thinks she is pregnant again.

If she is pregnant, then it is a poorly spaced pregnancy. Your wife's body is not ready for another baby and she could get a tear in her uterus causing constant urine and feces flow.

Either play a CHILD SPACING
METHOD CARD or pay 6 beads
medical costs and lost wages
because your wife is too sick to
work AND GET

ANOTHER BABY.





Your wife gave birth **6 months** ago, and thinks she is pregnant again.

If she is pregnant, then it is a poorly spaced pregnancy. Your new baby could be born too early, causing health issues.

Either play a CHILD SPACING
METHOD CARD or pay 4 beads
for medical expenses AND GET
ANOTHER BABY.





Your wife gave birth **6 months** ago, and thinks she is pregnant again.

If she is pregnant, then it is a poorly spaced pregnancy. Your new baby could be born too soon and malnourished.

Either play a CHILD SPACING
METHOD CARD or pay 4 beads
for medical expenses AND GET
ANOTHER BABY.





COIL (IUD or Copper T)

- Small, T-shaped plastic frame
- Inserted into the woman's womb by a trained health worker
- Protects from pregnancy for many years but can be removed at any time
- Good option for couples who want to wait at least a few years before their next child





IMPLANT (Implanon / Jadelle)

- 1 or 2 small, soft capsules
- Placed under the skin of a woman's arm by a trained health worker
- Protects from pregnancy for up to 3 or 5 years, but can be removed at any time
- Good option for couples who want to wait at least a year or two before their next child





LAM (Breastfeeding)

Breastfeeding <u>only</u> protects from pregnancy if <u>all</u> of these are true:

- The mother feeds the baby only breastmilk
- 2. The baby is less than 6 months old
- The mother's monthly bleeding has not returned

Does not work if any of the three conditions above are not met





MOON BEADS

- Help couples track "safe" days when they can have sex without risk of pregnancy
- Only a good option for couples who are <u>very</u> sure they can abstain from sex or use a condom on fertile days
- Talk to your wife about how regular her cycle is and how many days it lasts





VASECTOMY

- Permanent, life-long pregnancy protection
- Health worker performs a minor surgery on the man
- Does not affect sexual performance: the man can have sex and finish in a normal way
- Talk to your wife to decide if you are sure that you do not want any more children





CONDOMS

- A male condom covers a man's penis and a female condom is inserted into the vagina during sex to stop sperm from entering the woman
- Condoms are the only method that protects from HIV and STIs
- Condoms only work if used every time you have sex





PILL

- Women must take one pill every day, whether or not she has sex that day
- Only protects from pregnancy when the woman takes the pill every day
- Good option for couples who think they might want another baby soon
- Ask your wife if she thinks that she can remember to take the pill every day





INJECTABLE

(Depo-Provera / Sayana Press)

- Injection into a woman's upper arm by a health worker that protects from pregnancy for three months
- Good option for couples who think they might want another baby soon
- Ask your wife if she is fine with returning to the health facility for injections every 3 months





TUBAL LIGATION

- Permanent, life-long pregnancy protection
- Health worker performs a minor surgery on the woman lower abdomen and cutting the tubes that take the woman's egg to the uterus
- Does not affect woman's appearance or sex drive
- Talk to your wife to decide if you are sure that you do not want any more children







Congratulations on your new baby!





















Oh no! Your baby was not born healthy.



[Yes or No?]: Do all women experience side effects from child spacing methods?

Everyone reveal your answer

No. Although some women experience side effects, they are uncommon. People tend to talk more about bad things than good things, so you hear about these uncommon side effects. If a woman does experience side effects and is uncomfortable with them, she can switch to a different child spacing method.



QUIZ Card

[Yes or No?]: If a mother is breastfeeding her child that is 7 months old, and her bleeding has not yet returned, is it possible for her to get pregnant?

Everyone reveal your answer

Yes: It is possible for a woman to conceive even within 7 months after delivering a baby. If a woman is breastfeeding, she is only protected from pregnancy if:

- the baby is less than 6 months
- the baby does not eat any other food
- and the woman has not started bleeding again.



QUIZ Card

[Yes or No?]: After giving birth, can a woman get pregnant before her period returns?

Everyone reveal your answer

Yes, a woman can get pregnant again even before her period has returned. Child spacing methods, like implants or injections, are some ways to ensure that she will not get pregnant right away.



QUIZ Card

[Yes or No?] Is it healthy for a woman to get pregnant again within one year after giving birth?

Everyone reveal your answer

No. If a woman gets pregnant less than 2 years after she last gave birth, this is a poorly spaced pregnancy and she is at greater risk of issues during delivery, including heavy bleeding, low birth weight or even maternal and child death. 2 years is the recommended spacing for your wife and baby's health.



A man in your community asks if child spacing methods cause deformities in babies. Do you tell him yes or no?

Everyone reveal your answer.

No. Child spacing methods do not cause deformity in unborn babies. Deformity comes from other factors, such as not getting proper antenatal care.



[Yes or No?]: Can the implant disappear in the arm?

Everyone reveal your answer

No. After a health worker inserts the implant under a woman's skin, it will stay there. If the woman gains weight, it may be harder to feel the implant, but it's still there!



A man in your community asks you if child spacing methods cause infertility, do you tell him yes or no?

Everyone reveal your answer

No. For some couples, it may take time to get pregnant. Child spacing methods do not cause infertility. Worldwide 15% of couples have trouble conceiving whether or not they are using child spacing methods.



[Yes or No?]: When starting a child spacing method, do some women experience temporary changes in their monthly bleeding?

Everyone reveal your answer

Yes. Although many women are unaffected, some women might experience these changes. They usually go away within a few months, but if they continue and she is uncomfortable, she can simply switch to a different child spacing method.



[Yes or No?]: Do people need to take a blood test to determine which child spacing method is meant for them?

Everyone reveal your answer

No. Child spacing methods work for all blood types. Sometimes health workers conduct blood tests to determine if someone has HIV — but this has nothing to do with child spacing methods.



[**Yes or No?**]: Is an implant inserted under the skin of a woman's leg?

Everyone reveal your answer

No. Implants are soft plastic capsules placed under the skin of a woman's upper arm. They can be removed anytime. Once removed, a woman can become pregnant immediately.



[Yes or No?]: To prevent pregnancy, does a woman receive the injectable every week?

Everyone reveal your answer

No. A woman only needs to receive the injectable every 3 months for it to work — not every week.



[**Yes or No?**]: Is a woman most likely to get pregnant during her period?

Everyone reveal your answer

No. A woman is most likely to get pregnant between her periods about 2 weeks after the first day of her bleeding. But it is also possible for her to get pregnant at other times.



[Yes or No?]: If a woman removes the coil or implant can she get pregnant immediately?

Everyone reveal your answer

Yes. When an implant or coil is removed, a woman can get pregnant right away. These methods can protect against pregnancy for many years, but they can be removed at any time.



[Yes or No?]: For couples not using any child spacing methods, are the chances of getting pregnant very high?

Everyone reveal your answer

Yes. For couples not using any child spacing methods, the chance of getting pregnant over one year is 85%. If you and your wife are not ready to get pregnant right now, talk to a health worker about your options for child spacing.



[Yes or No?]: Tubal ligation is a safe and permanent child spacing method for woman involving a short operation.

Everyone reveal your answer

Yes. Tubal ligation is safe — a woman can return to her normal tasks about one week after the operation. It is a good for couples who are certain that they don't want any more children.



[Yes or No?]: Not many women get side effects from child spacing methods. For the few that do get side effects, can she do anything to ease them?

Everyone reveal your answer

Yes. If a woman experiences side effects, she can go to the health facility for treatment or switch to a different method.



[Yes or No?]: If a woman uses a coil for child spacing, can it hurt her husband during sex?

Everyone reveal your answer

No. The man will not even be able feel the coil inside a woman. The strings of the coil are short and soft and the coil can be removed anytime by a health worker if a couple is ready for another child



[Yes or No?] If a woman takes one birth control pill at the same time every day, is she protected from pregnancy?

Everyone reveal your answer

Yes. The woman must remember to take the pill at the same time every day.





[Yes or No?]: After getting a vasectomy, will a man still want and enjoy sex just as he did before?

Everyone reveal your answer

Yes. A vasectomy is a safe and permanent method of child spacing for men. It does not change the experience of sex at all. A man will still get erections and finish during sex, but this liquid will not make a woman pregnant. This is very different from castration where a man's testes are removed (only common in animals).



[Yes or No?]: Can any woman of childbearing age use MoonBeads to space children?

Everyone reveal your answer

No. MoonBeads only work for women who bleed at least once every 4 weeks. For women who have different bleeding patterns, MoonBeads will not always work.



COST CARD - 1

What are the costs for delivering a baby?

(Pause for discussion)

Now, every Household pay 1 bead per child for these costs.



COST CARD - 2

What kind of costs are there in keeping a child healthy and meeting other basic needs?

(Pause for discussion)

Every Household pays **2 beads** per child for these costs



You sell your banana crop at a really high price.

Toss the die to see how many beads you earn

ALWAYS USE





You are getting a lot of customers on your boda boda.

Toss the die to see how many beads you earn

ALWAYS USE





You have a beautiful family.

Toss the die to celebrate and collect that many beads.

ALWAYS USE





Your football team wins the finals!

Toss the die to see how many beads you earn.

ALWAYS USE









Congratulations! You had triplets!

ALWAYS USE





















































Congratulations on your new baby!



MY FAMILY



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MY FAMILY



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MY FAMILY























