BIOGENETICS

9/22/11 http://health.groups.yahoo.com/group/DonorSiblingRegistry/message/14549

I just got off the phone with this clinic. The woman said their policy has always been when 20 live births are reported to them, they retire the donor. However, they realize that not all births are reported back to them, so there could be more children than the 20 reported. I thought this might be useful info for those who have used this clinic. I'm still waiting to get the specifics on the donor we used.

9/20/11 http://health.groups.yahoo.com/group/DonorSiblingRegistry/message/14534

I called the sperm bank a week ago and asked to know how many children have been born to the donor who is my child's as well. The woman took my name and number and said she'd get back to me. I haven't heard anything from her. I will call back tomorrow. Will these clinics give this information over the phone? Will she give it at all? Has anyone else here dealt with Biogenetics in New Jersey?

10/6/08 http://health.groups.yahoo.com/group/DonorSiblingRegistry/message/11228

Re: Message from Representative from GIVF Update:

I would like to update the GIFV (Fairfax) Director's "corrections" to our list:

His item #2: "2. CLI is not able to confirm the statement that the same donor had previously donated at Zygen Laboratories and California Cryobank."

This is accurate. We have confirmed.

His item #10: "10. CLI has NEVER distributed California Cryobank (CCB) donors and likewise CCB has not distributed CLI donors."

We have also heard from a parent who purchased her sperm from California Cryobank, but her donor list has a CLI heading, and she now matches with other moms who actually purchased their sperm from CLI.

His Item #9: "9. CLI has NEVER had any donors listed on the Biogenetics donor catalogue."

We have a donor who is indeed on both Fairfax and Biogenetics lists. We also have a donor on both Fairfax and NECC lists.

2/14/08 http://health.groups.yahoo.com/group/DonorSiblingRegistry/message/10039

I am currently trying to find a donor. I have narrowed it down to two. One is at Idant Laboratories which I have not had a good experience with so far on the phone and requesting long profile on the donor. Have anyone else had this problem? Are they not a good bank to work with? The other one is from Biogenetics which is triple the price of Idant. I want to save as much money as possible but wonder if the stress from working with an unfriendly bank would do more harm than

forking out the extra money. I am looking for a Puerto Rican donor so that and those two banks ended up being my only option at this point.