

**Given birth recently?**

**Do you feel you cannot keep your newborn baby?**



**There is an option – you can leave your baby in St. Paul's Hospital's Angel Cradle.**

Angel's Cradle is a way for you to give up your newborn baby safely, and do so without anyone knowing who you are.

Angel's Cradle is located in downtown Vancouver at St. Paul's Hospital, just outside the entrance to the Emergency Department. The sign for Angel's Cradle can be seen from Burrard Street.

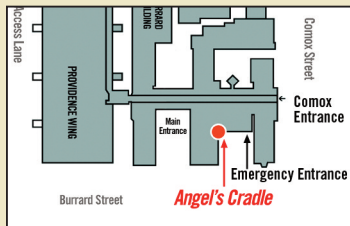
No hospital staff or security will stop you. They will not approach you at all.

Thirty seconds after the newborn baby has been placed in the cradle, a sensor

alerts Emergency staff that there is a baby in the cradle. We give the newborn baby any medical care he or she may need.

The baby is put in the care of the Ministry of Children and Family Development, and a permanent plan will be made for your baby. The best plans can be made for your baby if you decide to work with the Ministry social worker.

## St. Paul's Hospital



Keep the baby? Give the baby up?  
If you're not sure, you can call any  
of these places for help:

Ministry of Children and Family  
Development:  
604-660-5437  
310-1234 (no area code)

Birthright:  
604-687-7223

Crisis Intervention:  
604-872-3311  
1-888-661-3311

Vancouver Aboriginal Child  
and Family Services Society:  
788-331-4500



How you want to be treated.

*Angel's  
Cradle*  
at St. Paul's Hospital