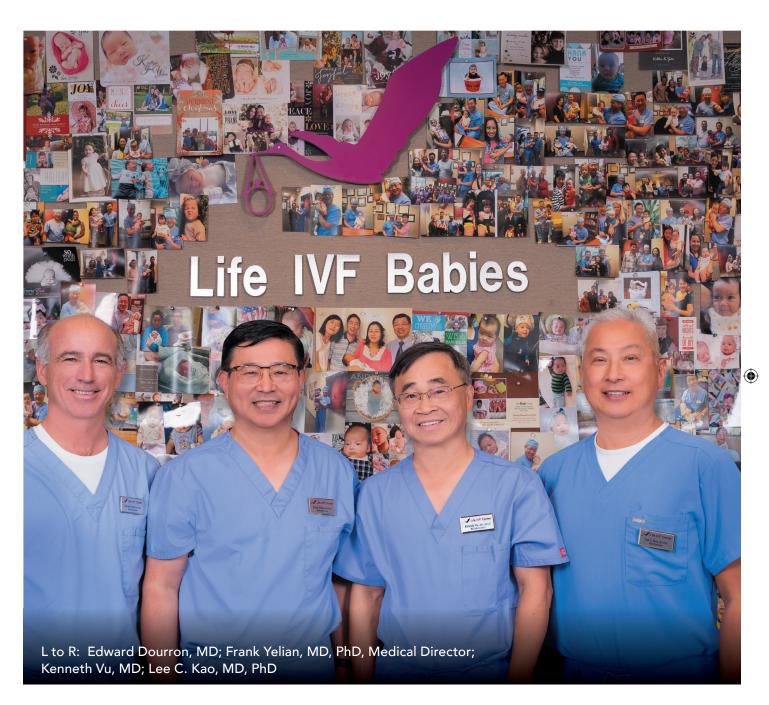


## Life IVF Center

## Pioneer in Precision IVF





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s the founder and medical director of Life IVF Center (LIC) in Irvine, Dr. Frank
Yelian, M.D., Ph.D, is at the forefront of reproductive medicine and in vitro fertilization (IVF). LIC is a unique fertility center specializing in natural cycle IVF (NC-IVF). This effective method uses the egg a woman naturally releases, which is then fertilized and transferred without the aid of fertility medications.

LIC was founded in 2010 after Dr. Yelian — a globally renowned OB-GYN and reproductive endocrinologist with over 30 years of experience — studied NC-IVF and minimal stimulation IVF (MS-IVF) techniques during a sabbatical in Japan.

Compared to conventional IVF treatments, NC-IVF and MS-IVF involve fewer health risks for women, are more affordable, and avoid the ethical dilemma of surplus embryos. Since little medication if any is used in NC-IVF and MS-IVF, women can avoid the dangers of ovarian hyperstimulation syndrome. What's

more, Dr. Yelian estimates the total cost of NC-IVF or MS-IVF treatments to be less than half the cost of conventional IVF, but with scientifically proven comparable outcomes.

LIC specializes in both techniques, and offers personalized treatments to its customers. What started as a clinic with three staff members has grown to a team of 65 within 10 years. LIC was ranked the busiest IVF clinic in the state of California and seventh busiest in the nation, according to Forbes. Patients travel from across the country and the world to receive treatment, and a second clinic in Arcadia will be in full service starting in January 2020 to meet the increasing high demand.

Dr. Yelian is most proud of LIC's success in treating challenging cases. "We are well-known for helping women with poor ovarian function," he says. "Most doctors give up on those patients, and tell them that the only chance they'll be able to have a baby is by using donor eggs. So we give the patient a choice [to use their own eggs] with Precision IVF, and we use much less medication. We still accomplish the same goal, but it's much safer."

- Over 2,000 children delivered
- Ranked one of the top five IVF clinics in Orange County by IVF Authority
- No patients excluded for IVF treatment because of age, number of follicles, FSH or AMH levels or financial status
- Prospective patients can enter to win a free cycle of IVF by attending a free monthly educational seminar offered by LIC

