ACNM Statement on Alabama Supreme Court IVF Ruling

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ACNM condemns the Alabama Supreme Court’s recent decision to impede access to IVF fertility treatment. Not only does this preposterous ruling set a dangerous precedent that places providers and the people they serve at risk for prosecution, but it also turns the clock back on the extraordinary gains made in reproductive medicine that have maximized the chance of successful pregnancies and enabled countless people to build families. ACNM affirms that every person has the right to make choices regarding sexual and reproductive health (SRH) that meet their individual needs, and everyone has the right to access factual, evidence-based, unbiased information about available SRH care services to make informed decisions.