

*Father of five children, a medical doctor, has realised long ago how important it is for a pregnant woman to hear the heart of her unborn child. His device that monitors baby's heartbeats is now available in the whole world, in our country at most favourable price*

## Prim. M. D. Stefan Engelbrecht, inventor of Baby Watcher The pregnant woman and her baby can «hear» each other every day

Baby's heartbeats are the nicest music in the whole world for a pregnant woman – states prim. M. D. Stefan Engelbrecht, the inventor of the Baby Watcher, a device that provides a mother with the possibility to hear her baby at the early stage of her pregnancy. This doctor has, after 13 years of experience in Austria, as well as after numerous conversations with pregnant women, improved a practical device that promotes the relationship between the mother and the baby at the earliest stage of the pregnancy, in this way transforming the months of anticipation into a precious experience.

Device that operates as an ultrasound instrument that each woman can recline against her stomach came into the market 5 years ago and it caused, according to his words, big sensation amongst pregnant women who have asked them how come nothing similar ever existed. One year ago, Baby-Watcher started selling in Croatia also.

### **Happy woman, healthy child**

Prim. M. D. Engelbrecht, who is currently living and working in a picturesque place called Pila, located near Stubičke Toplice, enthusiastically and full of pride states that he has helped women a lot, because he realised very early that the auditive message in pregnant women is much stronger than the visual that they get from an ultrasound examination.

- In that moment when the woman hears her baby, she is happy, and because of the hormone of happiness, even her baby starts to move – states the primarius and explains that the «hormone of happiness» has such a positive influence on women, better than all the medicaments.

In his practice, he has even experienced cases in which women stopped bleeding right in front of his eyes when they heard baby's heartbeats and realised that everything is ok with their baby.

- Please note that the device is not a substitute for the routine gynaecologist examination, but in this way, women have gained the possibility to follow the heartbeats of their baby in their own home, which can indicate to them any kind of disfunction, and that can also boost one's self esteem, which is very important during the labour – the doctor states.

- If the woman is happy, she doesn't need therapy, because the blood circulation between the mother and the baby is better, the baby is developing better, and it has been scientifically proven that there is a connection between woman's feelings and child development – says he and stresses out that a baby is a creation that can see, hear and feel.

Primarius points out that this device could also come in handy in families that already have children, because it can reduce jealousy of the newborn in older child. Numerous mothers have told him how their older children «surf» with the device against their bellies, which brings joy to the whole family and brings the whole family together.

## Return to Croatia

- The effects of the Baby Watcher device are immeasurable, and that contact of the children with their future sister or a brother is extremely positive – he states. Another interesting thing that the primarius has found out with the help of this device is a fact that the baby places itself in mother's stomach in a way that its heart is as close to mother's heart.

After the specialisation in Peter's hospital in Zagreb, primarius worked as the director of the Gynaecology ward in a hospital in Zabok, where the work of his team, i.e. very low mortality rate, was noticed by Austrian specialists.

- In 90's was, for example in Sweden, there was 7 dead born babies in 1000 born babies and we had only two such cases in our hospital in Zabok. The Austrian specialists have noticed that fact in the reports of World health organisation, and they have asked me to come to work as a director in Graz, and than in Leipzig – says he, and adds that he has returned to Croatia, where he still works with pregnant women because he enjoys it, although he has already retired from work.

- Our idea was to make Baby Watcher a device of high quality, but low price and acceptable design with a big, well laid out display. If you sell the device at high price, it can be discriminating. All pregnant women have the same rights, all of them have the same worries about the outcome of the pregnancy and they loose their self-esteem very often. If they gain it back with the help of this device, the pregnancy unfolds undisturbed, and everything is easier during the labour, because the future mother knows that everything is all right with the baby – the doctor concludes and adds that baby's heart beats two times as fast as the heart of a man, from 120 to 160 beats per minute.

That father of five children, four boys and one daughter, whose device is being sold around the world, is pleased the most with the Croatian market, because the firm Hospitalija agreed upon the lowest prices in the world, hundred EUR, whereas the price in all European countries amounts to a sum trice as big.

- One percent of the world's population are always pregnant women, and in Croatia only, there are 50 000 pregnant women each year. My goal is to help all of them and give them the possibility of contacting their baby, without disturbances, at the earliest possible point of pregnancy – primarius Engelbrecht concludes.



**N**Često je pitanje da li je moguće da se u jednom trenutku, kada se žena nalazi u položaju da se priprema za porođaj, osjeti kako se beba osjeća. Ovo je moguće zahvaljujući uređaju koji se zove Baby Watcher. Ovaj uređaj omogućuje da se beba osjeća kao da je u majčinom stomaku, što je vrlo važno za njezino dobrobit i zdravlje. Uređaj je jednostavan za korištenje i omogućuje da se beba osjeća kao da je u majčinom stomaku, što je vrlo važno za njezino dobrobit i zdravlje.

**Stefan, otac djece**  
Stefan je otac petoro djece, liječnik, glavno je shvatio koliko je trudnicama bitno čuti srce svoga nerođenog djeteta. Njegov uređaj koji prati otkucaja bebina srca danas je dostupan u cijelom svijetu, a najjeftiniji je upravo u našoj zemlji.

**PRIM. DR. STEFAN ENGELBRECHT: JMITELI BABY WATCHERA**

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