# Support Benefits for Pregnant Women

We provide support to pregnant women to realize our wish that "we would like all pregnant women to give birth and raise children with peace of mind."

The work in our Children and Family Support Division is not only to provides the system for support benefits. Public health nurses in charge also respond to your queries and concerns about pregnancy and childbirth. Please feel free to contact us.

### **Applicants**

Pregnant women (\* The eligible recipients include those women who have had a miscarriage or still birth. The support benefits can be applied after the date of confirmation about miscarriage etc. in a medical institution.

#### **Amount Paid**

After the certification of maternity benefits the amount paid is 50,000 yen.

After notifying the number of children in pregnancy the amount the number of children × 50,000 yen.

### **Application with Interview**

- ① Please apply at the counter of the Children and Family Support Division. You can consult on your concerns and problems about pregnancy and childbirth.
- ② You can get necessary information about the system and service available before and after childbirth.

### On Pregnancy

This system defines 'pregnancy' as fetal heart confirmed by a medical institution, and thereby pregnancy benefits can be certified at the Children and Family Support Division.

# **Application Period**

- Application for pregnancy benefit certification is possible after pregnancy is confirmed by a medical institution
- ② The notification of number of children in pregnancy is possible from 8 weeks before the expected delivery date.

# Where to Apply

Higashihiroshima City Office

Children and Family Support Division, Mother and Child Health Section

TEL: 082-420-0407 (From Monday to Friday  $8:30\sim17:15$ )

