

# Brit Mila: Delays: Shabbat/Jewish Festivals: Special Births

**SITUATION** A baby boy is born by caesarean section. The eighth day after the birth is Shabbat or a Jewish festival.

**WHAT TO DO** The brit mila must be delayed to at least the next day following that Shabbat or Jewish festival. (If the mohel or doctor says the baby is not healthy enough for a brit, the brit must be delayed even more.)