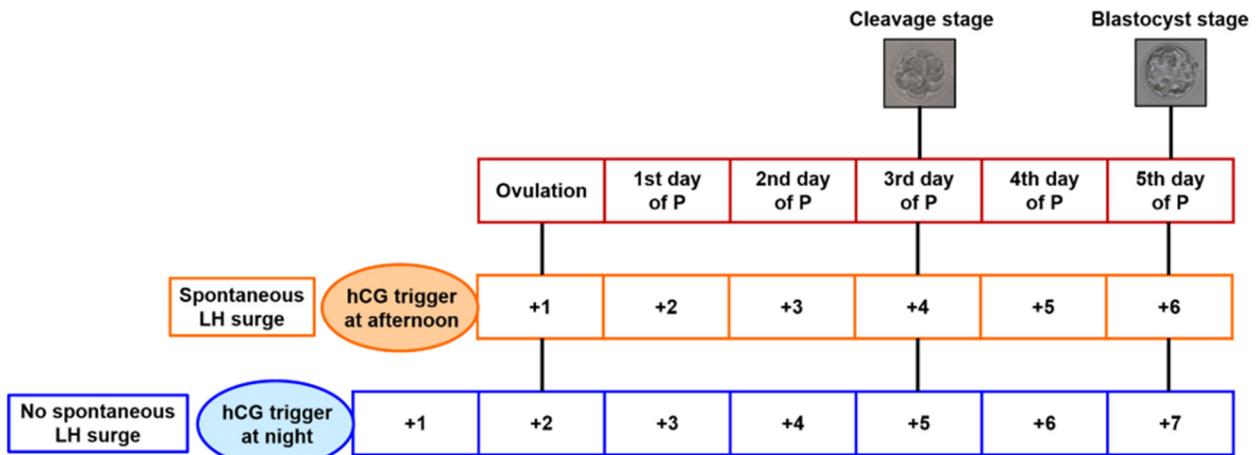
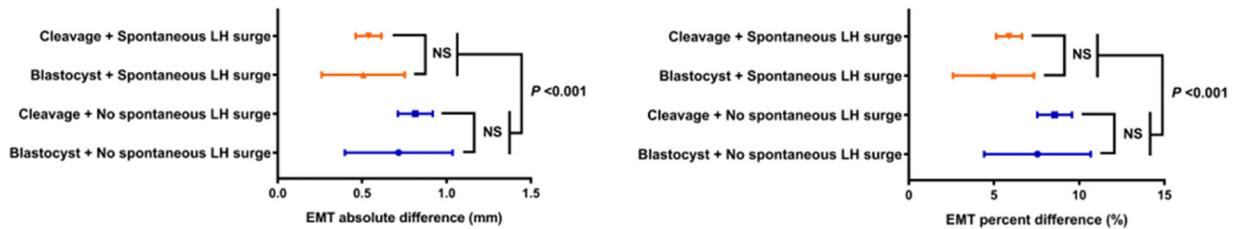


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**Figure S1** Endometrial thickness (EMT) change after human chorionic gonadotrophin (hCG) triggering in modified natural cycles for frozen-thawed embryo transfer (FET). (A) The scheme of FET timing; (B,C) comparison of absolute and percent changes of post-trigger EMT in cleavage- and blastocyst-stage embryo transfer cycles with or without spontaneous luteinizing hormone (LH) surge. The error bars show the 95% CIs. P, progesterone; NS, no significance.

**Table S1** Multiple regression analysis of possible determinants for live birth.

	Adjusted OR (95% CI)	Wals	P-value
Maternal age (years)			
<30	Reference		
30–34	0.86 (0.72–1.04)	2.481	0.115
35–37	0.62 (0.47–0.80)	12.734	<0.001
38–40	0.56 (0.39–0.79)	11.095	0.001
≥41	0.11 (0.06–0.21)	52.252	<0.001
Maternal BMI ( $\text{kg}/\text{m}^2$ )			
<18.5	0.86 (0.68–1.10)	1.457	0.227
18.5–24.9	Reference		
25.0–29.9	1.05 (0.77–1.44)	0.108	0.742
≥30	0.46 (0.22–0.99)	3.868	0.049
Gravidity ( $\geq 1$ vs. 0)	0.95 (0.79–1.13)	0.355	0.551
Parity ( $\geq 1$ vs. 0)	1.08 (0.79–1.48)	0.239	0.625
Duration of infertility (years)			
<3	Reference		
3–6	0.98 (0.82–1.17)	0.045	0.832
>6	0.77 (0.60–0.99)	4.264	0.039
Infertility diagnosis			
Male factor	Reference		
Tubal factor	0.68 (0.51–0.91)	6.855	0.009
Other	0.78 (0.49–1.23)	1.171	0.279
Unexplained	0.87 (0.59–1.28)	0.478	0.489
Combined	0.74 (0.56–0.99)	4.208	0.040
Ovarian stimulation protocol			
GnRH antagonist	Reference		
GnRH agonist short	0.68 (0.37–1.25)	1.513	0.219
Mild stimulation	0.86 (0.47–1.54)	0.272	0.602
Progestin-primed ovarian stimulation	1.05 (0.57–1.92)	0.022	0.882
Fertilization method			
IVF	Reference		
ICSI	0.86 (0.68–1.09)	1.614	0.204
IVF + ICSI	0.85 (0.64–1.12)	1.316	0.251
Year of treatment (after vs. before 2013)	0.97 (0.80–1.16)	0.140	0.708
EMT on trigger day (mm)			
<8	0.69 (0.47–1.01)	3.565	0.059
8–13.9	Reference		
≥14	1.20 (0.90–1.61)	1.555	0.212
Post-trigger EMT percent difference			
>5% decrease	0.88 (0.69–1.12)	1.049	0.306
±5% plateau	Reference		
>5% increase	1.05 (0.88–1.25)	0.244	0.621
Spontaneous LH surge (yes vs. no)	0.96 (0.82–1.13)	0.250	0.617
No. of embryos transferred (double vs. single)	2.22 (1.69–2.93)	32.494	<0.001
Embryo stage at transfer (blastocyst vs. cleavage)	1.63 (1.22–2.19)	10.607	0.001
Transfer of $\geq 1$ top-quality embryo (yes vs. no)	1.21 (1.01–1.46)	4.022	0.045

OR, odds ratio; CI, confidence interval; BMI, body mass index; GnRH, gonadotropin-releasing hormone; IVF, *in vitro* fertilization; ICSI, intracytoplasmic sperm injection; EMT, endometrial thickness; LH, luteinizing hormone.