

COSTED TREATMENT PLAN

If you have any queries regarding the costs provided to you please do not hesitate to contact the WFI Senior Service Coordinator at sbu.wfifp@wales.nhs.uk

CONSULTATION & INVESTIGATION PRICES

TYPE OF INVESTIGATION	COST	SELECT
Initial Consultation only – includes Transvaginal Ultrasound Scan	£250	
Follow Up Consultation (scan not included)	£150	
Andrology Consultation	£150	
Investigation/Monitoring Pelvic Ultrasound Scan	£170	
Viability Scan	£200	
Follow Up Review within three months of pregnancy test	£100	
Hysterosalpingogram Contrast Sonography (HyCosy)	£535	
Saline Infusion Sonography	£535	
Semen Analysis	£100	
Post Vasectomy Semen Analysis	£100	
Fertility Assessment package - Couple Heterosexual couple – includes scan, consultation, AMH & Semen Analysis Same-sex female couple – includes scan for lead partner, AMH for both partners and joint consultation	£450	
Fertility Assessment Package – Single female Includes scan, consultation, AMH	£400	

Patients being co-managed with another clinic are charged per investigation. This includes patients undergoing treatment overseas and who attend the IVF unit for the treatment ultrasound scans and blood tests.

ASSISTED CONCEPTION TREATMENT PACKAGES

These package prices do not include drugs or initial consultation fee. Please allow £800 - £1,500 for drugs and initial consultation price is listed above.

TYPE OF TREATMENT PACKAGE	COST	SELECT
Clomid Monitored Cycle / Ovulation Induction	£325	
IUI (Intra-Uterine Insemination) <i>*Donor sperm fee not included</i>	£1,150*	
IVF	£3,700	
ICSI	£4,325	
FET (Frozen Embryo Transfer)	£1,475	
Dummy Embryo Transfer	£150	
Egg Donor/Recipient Cycle	£8,150	
Shared motherhood/reciprocal IVF	£8,150	
Egg Freezing Cycle	£3,300	
Egg Thaw, Fertilisation (ICSI) and Embryo Transfer <i>(includes freezing of supernumerary embryos)</i>	£2,225	
Monitoring cycle (patients having treatment elsewhere – includes scans and administration support)	£700	

Please see page 2 for breakdown of what is included in each treatment package. Additional treatments that are not included in the package price are listed on pages 2-3.

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What is included in a Treatment Package?

Included in Treatment Package	IVF	ICSI	FET	IUI	Egg Donation Cycle	Egg Freezing Cycle
Nurse pre-treatment co-ordination appointment	√	√	√	√	√	√
Egg collection procedure	√	√	-	-	√	√
Insemination procedure	-	-	-	√	-	-
Intravenous sedation during egg collection	√	√	-	-	√	√
Embryo Glue	√	√	√	-	√	-
Ultrasound scans during the Treatment cycle	√	√	√	√	√	√
Assisted hatching where appropriate	√	√	√	-	√	-
Pregnancy ultrasound scan	√	√	√	√	√	-
Medical and nursing care and advice before, during, and after treatment, up to the pregnancy test and early pregnancy scan when treatment is successful	√	√	√	√	√	√
Intracytoplasmic Sperm injection procedure (ICSI)	X	√	X	X	√	-
One year of free cryopreservation storage for supernumerary gametes/embryos	√	√	-	-	√	-
1 session of fertility counselling (*Surrogacy cases include 1 individual and 1 group session)	√	√	-	-	√*	-
Cost for Treatment Package	£3700	£4325	£1475	£1150	£8150	£3300

MANDATORY ADDITIONAL COSTS

- HFEA Licence Fee - £100
- Annual Cryopreservation Storage Fee for embryos/eggs/sperm/donor sperm (after first year) - £305

BLOOD TEST PRICES (This list is a general guide – other tests requested will be charged individually)

TYPE OF BLOOD TEST	COST	SELECT
Infectious diseases and Screening blood tests	£170	
NAAT for infectious diseases	£300	
AMH	£85	
Prolactin	£50	
Thyroid Function	£50	
Follicle Stimulation Hormone (FSH) & Oestrogen	£75	
Hep B, Hep C, HIV & Syphilis	£125	
Chlamydia & Gonorrhoea screening	£55	
Karyotype (Chromosomes)	£290	
Y Deletion (Chromosomes)	£275	
CF screening	£200	

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OTHER COSTS

TYPE (*REQUIRED)	COST	SELECT
HFEA Licence fee*	£100	
Annual Storage Fee (after first year of initial freeze)*	£305	
Self-funding Sperm Storage (first year includes required screening)	£550 first year, then £305 per subsequent year	
Follow up appointment within three months of pregnancy test	£100	
Fertility Counselling – all follow up sessions	£55 per session	
Donor Sperm - to be sourced by patient from agreed supplier	POA	
Donor sperm – Administration Fee	£100	
Artificial Egg Activation	£165	
Sedation cost for Embryo Transfer	£250	
Sperm Freezing prior to IVF (including first year of storage)	£550	
Specialist embryo culture for recurrent implantation failure	£500	
Endometrial Scratch	£250	
Cyst drainage under sedation	£950	
Shipper rental costs for transports	£150	
Transfer out of Frozen samples – Administration Fee UK export	£200	
Transfer out of Frozen samples – Administration Fee International export	£400	
Embryo or Egg biopsy	£1,100	
Pre-implantation Genetic Testing for Aneuploidy (PGT-A) up to 4 embryos	£1,700	
PGT-A each additional embryo	£450	
Pre-implantation Genetic Diagnosis (PGT-M & PGT-SR) development fee	POA	
PGT-M / PGT-SR test fee per embryo	POA	
Genetic counselling – not provided within WFI, arranged separately with payment direct to company.	£165 per session	
Cancellation Fee	£350	

*Mandatory fee

HOW TO PAY

We accept payment by credit or debit cards. Credit and debit card payments can be made over the telephone prior to treatment. To make a credit/debit card payment please telephone the WFI Neath Administration Team on 01639 862698 or email sbu.wfifp@wales.nhs.uk.

You will be provided with a receipt for your payment showing an authorisation code. This will be your proof of payment and the receipt can be emailed or posted to you. Payments by card will show on your statement as WFI Professional Services.

WFI are collaborating with **Access Fertility** who offer finance solutions for our patients looking to spread all or part of the cost of any Access fertility programme. Access Fertility offer simple monthly payment plans to spread the cost of your treatment cost. For more information visit the website www.accessfertility.com

WHEN TO PAY

Payment must be made prior to each appointment. Patients having fertility treatments will need to pay for treatment prior to booking their nurse co-ordination appointment. You can telephone or email the WFI unit to make appointments and arrange payment.

If you are planning to have an additional procedure, you should pay for these at the same time as your treatment payment. If the decision to have these procedures is not made until after your egg collection (e.g., conversion from IVF to ICSI), then we ask you to pay on the day of treatment. Patients who are having PGS or PGD will pay the package price for their cycle, i.e., ICSI with the additional cost for the PGS or the PGD at the same time. An embryologist will explain the tests required and the difference between the development and test fees.

Treatment cannot commence until all outstanding payments have been settled.

TERMS & CONDITIONS OF TREATMENT AND PAYMENTS

Private medical insurance companies do not generally cover assisted conception treatments, but you may be covered for some consultation appointments, investigations and surgical procedures. Patients will be required to make payments directly either before or at the time of the appointment or treatment and if appropriate, claim the cost retrospectively from the medical insurance company.

Appointments for all consultations, follow up reviews, scans and blood tests will not be arranged until payment has been made.

Patients having fertility treatments will need to pay for treatment prior to booking their nurse co-ordination appointment.

Treatment must start no more than three months from the date of your last consultation appointment. If you delay starting your treatment you may incur additional costs as some investigation tests may need to be repeated.

In the event that additional treatments are provided, we expect patients to pay for these prior to or on the day of the treatment. If additional treatments have taken place and no payment is received, we will invoice patients for the outstanding amount and will expect payment to be made within 14 days of the date of the invoice. In the event of payment not being received, following a reminder, we will instruct a debt collection company to commence proceedings to recover the debt. Should this be necessary, debt collection, legal and administration fees and statutory interest will be added to the debt.

An annual storage fee of £305 is required where supernumerary gametes or embryos are frozen (please note for IVF and ICSI treatment the first year of storage is included in the cost of the Treatment Package as shown on page 2). All patients receive a reminder letter up to six months prior to the invoice being issued. All patients are given the option to continue with their storage or to discard their samples, or donate for training.

REFUND INFORMATION

Occasionally, patients choose to delay the start of their treatment or decide not to go ahead with treatment at all. If this happens, then we will make a full refund of any treatment costs that you paid to your original payment card. If you would like to apply for a refund, please contact the Service on sbu.wfifp@wales.nhs.uk.

Unfortunately, it is sometimes necessary to discontinue treatment for medical reasons, which can be due to poor or excessive response to the treatment drugs, or a co-incidental development of another condition during the treatment. Depending on the stage of treatment at cancellation, a partial refund may be due.

Refunds will be made to the debit or credit card that your original payment was made with.

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Full details of the cancellation fees per treatment type are outlined in the table below.
The cancellation fee is currently £350.

We cannot make any refunds for:

- The cost of pre-treatment investigations.
- The cost of drugs for any treatment cycle.
- The cost of donor sperm.
- PGD & PGS - Development costs for PGD are paid upfront and there is no refund for this. If embryos or eggs are biopsied then you are liable for the biopsy fee. If genetic analysis is performed then you are liable for the PGS or PGD fee. Occasionally analysis fails, contamination occurs or there are no normal embryos to transfer. There is no refund in this situation.

Please note: If you are having an IVF or ICSI cycle and your embryo transfer is cancelled because you are at risk of hyperstimulation syndrome (OHSS), your embryos will be frozen and you will be offered a frozen cycle (FET) once you have recovered from the OHSS at a reduced cost of £750. Any subsequent FET's will be chargeable at the full cost of £1475.

Treatment Type	Cancellation Timing	Refund agreement	Refund amount
IVF, ICSI, Egg Freezing or Egg Donation cycle	If discontinued for medical reasons before any medication is started.	Full cost of treatment package.	£3575 IVF / £4325 ICSI
	Cancelled IVF or ICSI after the drugs have started but before egg collection.	Full cost of treatment package less the cancellation fee.	£3350 IVF / £3975 ICSI
	Cancelled IVF or ICSI after egg collection if no eggs collected or failed fertilisation.	The cost of the embryo transfer.	£250
IUI	Cancelled IUI cycle prior to insemination but have already started the stimulation drugs.	Full cost of treatment package less the cancellation fee.	£800
	If you start an IUI cycle but the cycle is converted to IVF because of over response, you will be asked to pay the additional cost i.e. the difference between the cost of IUI and IVF.	Increased fee to pay the difference between IUI (£1050) and IVF (£3575) = additional £2525 to pay.	N/A
FET	Cancelled FET for medical reasons before embryo thaw.	Full cost of treatment package less the cancellation fee.	£1,125
	Cancelled FET if all embryos fail to thaw successfully	The cost of the embryo transfer.	£250