



IMPERIAL PRIVATE HEALTHCARE

IVF prices

IVF, ICSI, IUI and cycle monitoring price list

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This price list provides information about our treatments, investigations and package prices. Payment will need to be made before treatment commences.

Consultation and initial investigation fees (<i>virology listed separately</i>)	
Consultant consultation*	£250
Investigation scan	£245
3D Investigation scan	£380
3D Aqua or saline scan	£425
Hysterosalpingogram (HSG)	£505
HyCoSy	£540
Semen analysis	£125
Pregnancy scan**	£245

*All consultant fees are paid directly to the consultant

** The 1st pregnancy scan after a successful treatment cycle with us is included in the package price

Treatment package prices

All cycle prices are provided in packages. Packages for IVF include the nurse pre-treatment appointment, counselling session, in treatment scans, in treatment bloods, egg collection, intravenous sedation administered by a Consultant Anaesthetist at egg collection, blastocyst culture (as appropriate), embryo transfer, pregnancy test, early pregnancy scan *or* consultant review in the event of a negative outcome within three months of the pregnancy test (for fresh cycles only), and the HFEA licence fee. Drugs are charged separately and vary from patient to patient. You will be required to pay for prescriptions upon collection from the pharmacy of your choice.

Any blood or diagnostic tests required before the treatment cycle are not included in a package price. (*Infection screening for HIV, Hepatitis B and Hepatitis C will not be charged if you have a cycle of treatment*). At the time of your coordination appointment you will be required to pay in full for the treatment package.

Storage is chargeable annually after 1 year and you will be invoiced each year.

In- vitro fertilisation (IVF)** treatment package (<i>includes nurse pre-treatment appointment, counselling, treatment scans, treatment bloods, egg collection, intravenous sedation administered by a Consultant Anaesthetist at egg collection, sperm preparation, fertilisation, blastocyst culture (as appropriate), embryo transfer, pregnancy test, early pregnancy scan <u>or</u> consultant review in the event of a negative outcome within three months of the pregnancy test (for fresh cycles only) and the HFEA license fee (excludes storage of excess embryos)</i>)	£4,000
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Intracytoplasmic sperm injection (ICSI)** (includes nurse pre-treatment appointment, counselling, treatment scans, treatment bloods, egg collection, intravenous sedation administered by a Consultant Anaesthetist at egg collection, sperm preparation, ICSI (micro injection of sperm), blastocyst culture (as appropriate), embryo transfer, pregnancy test, early pregnancy scan <u>or</u> consultant review in the event of a negative outcome within three months of the pregnancy test (for fresh cycles only) and HFEA licence fee. (excludes storage of excess embryos))	£5,100
Excess Embryo freezing (vitrification of excess embryos after a fresh transfer including first year of storage. The embryology team will freeze embryos that are suitable to be used in future frozen embryo replacement cycles)	£970
Egg storage cycle (includes nurse pre-treatment appointment, counselling, treatment scans, treatment bloods, egg collection, intravenous sedation administered by a Consultant Anaesthetist at egg collection, vitrification of suitable eggs, first year's storage)	£3,400
Egg thaw, fertilisation and embryo transfer cycle (includes nurse pre-treatment appointment, counselling, treatment scans, treatment bloods, egg thaw, ICSI (micro injection of sperm), embryo transfer, pregnancy test, early pregnancy scan <u>or</u> consultant review in the event of a negative outcome within three months of the pregnancy test) (excludes storage of excess embryos)	£2,950
Embryo freezing cycle with IVF (includes nurse pre-treatment appointment, counselling, treatment scans, treatment bloods, egg collection, intravenous sedation administered by a Consultant Anaesthetist at egg collection, sperm preparation, fertilisation, blastocyst culture (as appropriate), embryo freezing (vitrification), first year's storage and HFEA licence fee)	£4,100
Embryo freezing cycle with ICSI (includes nurse pre-treatment appointment, counselling, treatment scans, treatment bloods, egg collection, intravenous sedation administered by a Consultant Anaesthetist at egg collection, sperm preparation, ICSI (micro injection of sperm), blastocyst culture (as appropriate), embryo freezing (vitrification), first year's storage and HFEA licence fee.	£5,200
Frozen Embryo Replacement Cycle (FERC) (includes nurse pre-treatment appointment, treatment scans, treatment bloods, embryo thaw, embryo transfer, pregnancy test, early pregnancy scan. (Please note no follow-up consultation is included in this package; it will be charged separately if required)	£1,100
Intrauterine insemination (IUI) (includes nurse pre-treatment appointment, counselling, treatment scans, treatment bloods, sperm preparation, insemination, pregnancy test, early pregnancy scan. (Please note no follow-up consultation is included in this package; it will be charged separately if required)	£1,200
Follicle/cycle monitoring (per scan and blood test)	£180

**If your cycle results in the unplanned freezing of all embryos, usually for medical reasons, you will need to pay to freeze the embryos however you will not have to pay for one subsequent FERC cycle.

Private Egg Donor Treatment*

If you do not have your own donor, we work with a selection of organisations who can support in finding you a suitable Donor. What you pay to the third party for finding you a potential donor, is not part of the cost of the cycle and they do not pay us.

Your donor will need to be screened to confirm they are a suitable candidate. All screening tests need to be paid for before your donor can start treatment. If the donor is not suitable we are unable to reimburse you for the costs of the screening.

If you are a recipient you may require extra blood tests before treatment, to screen for genetic conditions or infections. Your Consultant can discuss these with you.

Any costs for donor treatment partially covered by the NHS will be discussed individually. Below is an example of costs for private egg donor treatment. Additional tests may be required.

Consultant consultation (per patient)	£250
Investigation scan	£245

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Egg Donor screening (<i>blood screening, nurse pre-treatment consultation, counselling session x 1, telephone follow-up post screening to confirm suitability</i>)	£945
Embryo freezing cycle (<i>includes nurse pre-treatment appointment, counselling, treatment scans, treatment bloods, egg collection, intravenous sedation administered by a Consultant Anaesthetist at egg collection, sperm freeze, sperm preparation, fertilisation, blastocyst culture (as appropriate), embryo freezing (vitrification), first year's storage and HFEA licence fee. Please note extra charge for ICSI (micro injection of sperm).</i>)	IVF £4800 ICSI £5800
Drug Package for Egg Donor (<i>Includes drugs for donor only for 1 fresh cycle</i>) <i>Known donors are charged as per their individual requirements.</i>	£1000
Recipient Frozen Embryo Replacement Cycle (FERC) (<i>includes nurse pre-treatment appointment, treatment scans, treatment bloods, embryo thaw, embryo transfer, pregnancy test, early pregnancy scan. This excludes the cost of any required drugs. Please note no follow-up consultation is included in this package; it will be charged separately if required</i>)	£1100

Sperm Donor Treatment	
<p>Patients considering using donor sperm choose and purchase from a sperm bank. Our embryology team will help ensure that the sperm bank is UK and HFEA compliant.</p> <p>Our current approved sperm banks include: London Sperm Bank, Brighton Fertility Associates, European Sperm Bank, Cryos (Denmark), Xytex (America), or California Cryobank(America).</p> <p>You do not pay us for the sperm and you must communicate with the banks directly. What you pay to the sperm bank does not form part of the cost of the cycle and they do not pay us.</p>	
Recipient screening (<i>hepatitis B surface antigen, hepatitis B core antibody, hepatitis C, HIV 1&2, HTLV 1&2</i>)	£265

Surrogacy Treatment	
<p>We recommend arranging an initial consultant consultation to discuss your plans. At this time medical histories and any diagnostic tests or screening can be booked for you. If you know your surrogate, they can attend with you.</p> <p>After the suitability of the treatment is discussed, and you and the Consultant are aware what will be required, prices of bloods and tests can be discussed directly with you as this varies patient to patient depending on what results you may already have.</p> <p>Although we are unable to match you to a surrogate, our counsellor will support you with information about the legal and emotional aspects of treatment if this is a route you decide to follow.</p>	POA
<p>Embryo freezing cycle with IVF (<i>includes nurse pre-treatment appointment, counselling, treatment scans, treatment bloods, egg collection, intravenous sedation administered by a Consultant Anaesthetist at egg collection, sperm preparation, fertilisation, blastocyst culture (as appropriate), embryo freezing (vitrification), first year's storage and HFEA licence fee.</i>)</p> <p style="text-align: center;">OR</p>	£4,100/ £5,200

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Embryo freezing cycle with ICSI (<i>includes nurse pre-treatment appointment, counselling, treatment scans, treatment bloods, egg collection, , intravenous sedation administered by a Consultant Anaesthetist at egg collection, sperm preparation, , ICSI (micro injection of sperm), blastocyst culture (as appropriate), embryo freezing (vitrification), first year's storage and HFEA licence fee.</i> <i>These costs exclude medication.</i>	
Recipient Frozen Embryo Replacement Cycle (FERC) (<i>includes nurse appointment, treatment scans, treatment bloods, embryo thaw, embryo transfer, pregnancy test, early pregnancy scan. Please note no follow-up consultation is included in this package; it will be charged separately if required</i>)	£1100

Chargeable Extras	
General counselling – first 3 sessions	nil
Counselling for egg/sperm donation or surrogacy - first 3 sessions	nil
Follow up counselling appointments (<i>50 mins</i>)	£50
Cyst drainage under sedation	£620
Embryo transfer under sedation	£485
Sperm freezing prior to IVF (<i>including analysis, freezing and first year of storage</i>)	£430
Annual storage fee (<i>annual charges for either embryos, eggs or sperm</i>)	£320
IM Injection by a nurse (<i>you will be required to take most injections outside of unit hours in order to follow protocol</i>)	£10

Movement of Samples	
Movement of frozen samples <i>OUT</i> administration fee. If you wish to transport eggs, sperm or embryos from the Wolfson Fertility Centre to another IVF unit, please send us the name of the unit where they will be transported to and the name of an individual and/or email address for correspondence with that IVF unit.	£215
Movement of frozen samples <i>IN</i> administration fee. You must have had an initial consultation. Please note, this includes 1 year's storage. Please contact the IVF unit where your eggs, sperm or embryos are stored informing them of your wish to transfer them to the Wolfson Fertility Centre.	nil
There are courier fees associated with transport of samples. These are paid to the courier directly. There are several couriers available and you can email them directly to obtain a quote.	

Add on treatments*

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The Wolfson Fertility Centre provides evidence-based treatments and we actively participate in research to further knowledge and develop new treatment options. We are also open-minded about emerging techniques which may not yet have been proven to improve pregnancy rates.

Where relevant, your Consultant may discuss optional extras (“add-ons”) plus the research and potential benefits and risks associated with them at your consultation. We do not charge for low cost add on treatments, because we believe in charging only for proven methods to support success rates. We do charge for the below genetic testing as there are high costs associated with these.

Genetic testing	
PGT-M (<i>formally PGD</i>) Pre Implantation Genetic Testing for Monogenic Diseases with Karyomapping (<i>includes biopsy analysis of up to 9 embryos and the freezing and storage of those embryos for 1 year. It includes a non-refundable work-up fee of £400 in case of cancellation. Excludes IVF/ICSI cycle and FERC transfer</i>)	£5,400
PGT-A (<i>formally PGS</i>) Pre-implantation Genetic Testing for Aneuploidies (<i>includes biopsy analysis of up to 5 embryos, and the freezing and storage of those embryos for the first year. Excludes IVF/ICSI and FERC transfer</i>)	£2,400
Additional analysis (<i>per embryo above 9 for PGD and above 5 for PGS</i>)	£110
Embryo thaw, biopsy and refreeze (<i>includes thaw of up to 5 embryos, biopsy of embryos and refreezing – does not include the cost of the genetic testing as detailed above</i>)	£1200
Thaw, biopsy and refreeze of additional embryos	£200
Karyotype (<i>chromosome analysis</i>)	£330
CF (<i>Cystic fibrosis</i>)	£135
Y-deletion	£195

Other blood tests	
CMV (<i>Antigen</i>)	£100
TPHA (<i>Treponema pallidum hemagglutination assay</i>)	£100
HCG (<i>Beta HCG</i>)	£95
FSH (<i>Follicle-stimulating hormone</i>)	£65
LH (<i>Luteinizing hormone</i>)	£65
E2 (<i>Oestrodial</i>)	£65
HEP B DNA (<i>viral load</i>)	£270
HEP C quantification (<i>viral load</i>)	£235
AMH (<i>Anti Mullerian hormone</i>)	£115
Treponemal serology	£55
Thyroid antibodies	£95

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Thyroid function test	£95
Zika by PCR (Blood)	£200

Additional at risk donor, surrogate or recipient blood tests	
Hemoglobin electrophoresis	£95
Tay-Sachs	£305
Thalassemia	£135
Sickle Cell	£95

Screening packages		
Virology	Pre-treatment screen male – (<i>HIV, Hepatitis B surface antigen, Hepatitis B core antibody and Hepatitis C Screening prior to IVF treatment</i>)	Nil
	Pre-treatment screen female – (<i>HIV, Hepatitis B surface antigen, Hepatitis B core antibody and Hepatitis C Screening prior to IVF treatment</i>)	Nil
IVF B	Egg donor screen - (<i>hepatitis B surface antigen, hepatitis B core antibody, hepatitis C, HIV 1&2, HTLV 1&2, CMV, TPHA, chlamydia & gonorrhoea, blood group, chromosomes (karyotype), cystic fibrosis & rhesus</i>)	£745
IVF E	Egg recipient/ surrogate (host) screen - (<i>hepatitis B surface antigen, hepatitis B core antibody, hepatitis C, HIV 1&2, HTLV 1&2, CMV, TPHA, chlamydia & gonorrhoea, blood group & rhesus</i>)	£245
IVF J	Female using donor sperm – (<i>hepatitis B surface antigen, hepatitis B core antibody, hepatitis C, HIV 1&2, HTLV 1&2</i>)	£265
IVF F	Chlamydia urine screen	£85
IVF G	Gonorrhoea urine screen	£55

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Additional information

Payment in full is due at the nurse co-ordination appointment. Payment for pathology tests are due at the time the request form is produced and consultation fees are due upon attendance. Payment for drugs is due before the drugs are dispensed at pharmacy.

Payment methods

We prefer that you pay using debit or credit cards, with the exception of American Express. We accept card payments in person or via the telephone in advance of your treatment. We will accept cash via the Cashiers in the Sainsbury Wing at Hammersmith Hospital.

Deposits

To secure your booking, we may require a deposit. If we do you will be notified of this at the time of booking. This is non-refundable if the appointment is cancelled with less than 24 hours' notice.

Insurance

If you are insured and your insurance company is paying your account, please contact them to confirm the terms of your cover and obtain a pre-authorisation number. You must provide confirmation of cover prior to commencing treatment. If confirmation is not provided, you will be eligible to meet all charges.

Refunds and cancellation

Imperial Private Healthcare appreciates that there are a number of reasons that a patient may decide not to proceed with their treatment or treatment is discontinued for medical reasons. In these circumstances a full or partial refund may apply depending on the treatments delivered so far.

If you decide not to go ahead with your treatment please provide us with the original receipt and we will make the appropriate refund of any treatment costs. If you would like to apply for a refund, please telephone the clinic on 0203 313 4411 and speak to a member of staff. Further details of the cancellation fees per treatment type are detailed below.

IVF, ICSI, egg freezing or egg donation cycle

If an IVF, ICSI, egg freezing or egg donation cycle is discontinued before treatment or screening has started, you are entitled to a full refund. We cannot make any refunds for the cost of consultations, pre-treatment investigations or the cost of drugs for the treatment cycle that have been paid for at a pharmacy.

If no eggs are collected or collected eggs do not fertilise or the fertilised eggs do not create a viable embryo, then a proportion of treatment can be refunded as per below table.

Once prescriptions are collected they cannot be returned. We will always try to give prescriptions to minimise wastage, so you may need to collect more than once for your cycle.

If you are having an IVF or ICSI cycle and your embryo transfer is cancelled because of a medical reason, your embryos will be frozen and you will be offered a frozen cycle once you have recovered. You will be asked to pay for freezing your eggs or embryos but will not be expected to pay for a subsequent frozen embryo replacement cycle.

IUI

In the event that insemination does not take place but you have already started the stimulation drugs, a refund will be given less the cancellation fee. We do not refund any costs relating to the pre-treatment procedures or drugs.

If you start an IUI cycle but the cycle is converted to IVF, you will be asked to pay the additional cost which is the difference between the cost of IUI and IVF.

Donor sperm cycle

If your treatment using donor sperm is cancelled for any reason, then a refund will be offered according to the criteria as set out above, depending on the type of cycle. Payment for the donor sperm cannot be refunded as this is purchased from outside the unit.

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FET

If a FET cycle is cancelled for medical reasons before your embryos are thawed, we will refund the full cost of the treatment package less a cancellation fee. If when the embryos are thawed they fail to thaw successfully, we will issue a refund as per the below table.

Freezing

Once you have paid for the freezing of excess embryos, if this freeze does not go ahead, then you will be eligible for a refund.

Cancellation fees

A cancellation fee will be applicable if a cycle is abandoned, to cover the costs already incurred. We do not reimburse drug costs. Cancellation fees are listed below.

	Fee Payable for Cancelled Cycle
Cancelled IVF or ICSI before medication is started	£260
Cancelled IVF or ICSI after one treatment scan	£505
Cancelled IVF or ICSI cycle after more than one treatment scan but before egg collection	£750
Cancelled IUI cycle prior to insemination	£360
Cancelled FET after co-ordination appointment	£130
Cancelled FET after one treatment scan	£375

Partial Refunds

We understand it can be very disappointing if your treatment is not successful. We are unable to reimburse you the cost of the cycle, due to costs incurred, we do offer a partial refund in specific circumstances. Your Doctor will confirm this.

	Failed Treatment Refunds
No eggs are collected at egg collection – <i>if any eggs are collected this refund is not applicable.</i>	Refund of £400 for IVF Refund of £1400 for ICSI
Collected eggs fail to fertilise, or the created embryos do not survive to transfer day	Refund of £400
Thawed embryos do not survive to transfer day (FET)	Refund of £220

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Pricing FAQ's

What blood tests will I need before I start treatment?

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Before you have a cycle of IVF you will need some blood screening tests done. Your doctor will discuss these with you. This may be to check if you are a carrier of some genetic conditions. These blood tests are chargeable and not included in any of our packages.

If you do have blood results from a recent NHS cycle or a recent private cycle and the results are still valid, the doctors may not need to repeat them. Please note that virology blood tests performed elsewhere must have been done by an appropriately credited laboratory in order to be accepted.

Infection screening for HIV, Hep B and Hep C are included in the cost of a cycle. This screening is a requirement for all patients prior to starting a cycle of assisted conception.

How much will my drugs cost?

Drugs vary from patient to patient. We are unable to guarantee the cost as each patient will respond at different rates. The doctors will always try to prescribe only what they think will be needed, so you may collect more than one prescription per treatment cycle. This helps to avoid wasted medication in case you respond quicker than expected. We are unable to refund for any unused drugs. All drug payments are made directly to the dispensing pharmacy.

How often will I be charged for storage?

Storage is £320 per annum (*valid for year 19/20*). You will be invoiced annually for this charge on the anniversary of your treatment. If you no longer wish to store your semen, eggs or embryos then you can contact us to discard them. Consent is required for disposal. If you plan to use your samples, but have not yet done so – you will still be invoiced annually. Please ensure you keep us up to date with your address, this is important to ensure we can contact you regarding storage and consent.

Can I have back to back cycles? Is this cheaper?

Some patients may wish to have more than one cycle. This may be because you have a low ovarian reserve and may wish to consider have more cycles to offer you the best chance of conception at a later date. We do not believe in bulk selling, as there is no guarantee how you will respond. We aim to keep the overall cost of a cycle low for all treatments.

Can I have my embryos brought here from another clinic?

If you wish to transport eggs, sperm or embryos to the Wolfson Fertility Centre from another IVF unit: Please contact the IVF unit where your eggs, sperm or embryos are stored informing them of your wish to transfer them to the Wolfson Fertility Centre. You need to have a consultation before we can accept a transfer in.

If you wish to transport eggs, sperm or embryos from the Wolfson Fertility Centre to another IVF unit, please contact the Embryology team. We will require the name of the unit where they will be transported to and the name of an individual and/or email address for correspondence with that IVF unit.

There are courier fees associated with transport of samples. These are paid to the courier directly. Courier fees will vary depending on the destination.

What if my egg donor is not suitable?

If you have a donor identified as suitable, they will still need to be medically screened. If they are not suitable then we will be unable to refund you the cost of the screening tests and consultation. However – they will be identified as suitable or not before they commence a treatment cycle, so at this point any cost of a cycle can be refunded. If you change your mind about treatment after they have started treatment, then the cancellation fees apply as per the price list.

What if I have medication left over?

Medication is dispensed at a pharmacy. As a private patient, you can use the pharmacy here at the hospital or a pharmacy of your choice. We aim to price match other pharmacies so the costs remain as low as possible. If you have medication left over, we are unable to refund you. Medicines not needed should be disposed of safely via return to a pharmacy or hospital. The Doctors will try to prescribe only what is needed and adjust this as they monitor your response, and this may mean you need to visit pharmacy more than once during your treatment.

The cycle was not successful – no eggs were collected, my eggs did not fertilise or they did not result in good quality embryos - can I get a refund?

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If *no eggs are collected, they fail to fertilise or the resulting embryos are not suitable to use*, we offer you a partial refund as per our price list. The doctors are unable to say before egg collection day, how many eggs are present in the follicles, whether these are suitable for use in treatment, nor whether fertilisation will be successful after eggs are collected.

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