# WATERSTONECLINIC

## IVF REFERRAL GUIDE

CENTRES FOR REPRODUCTIVE HEALTHCARE

**All** patients are entitled to public HSE-funded treatment if they fit the below criteria. The HSE IVF Scheme is **not** related to the Medical Card Scheme. Patients **must be referred by their GP** to access the scheme. If patients do not fit the criteria, or have a preference, they can be referred (or self-refer) for self-funded treatment.

## **Eligibility Criteria:**

- **Residency:** Both Partners must be residents of the Republic of Ireland
- Age: Both Partners must be over 18 years of age, and:
  40 or under for female partners
  - 59 or under for male partners
- **Relationship:** The couple must be in their relationship for more than 1 year with:
  - No living child together
  - One partner, but not both, may have a living child (including adopted/born via surrogacy)

- Medical:
- Female BMI must be between 18.5 30
- No history of sterilisation (e.g. vasectomy or tubal ligation)
- Previous Treatment does not exclude unless more than 1 IVF round or they have embryos in storage.
- Lifestyle:
  - Female partners must drink no more than 2 standard alcoholic drinks up to twice a week
  - Male partners must drink no more than 10 standard alcoholic drinks a week
  - Neither partner must have smoked or taken recreational drugs for at least 3 months

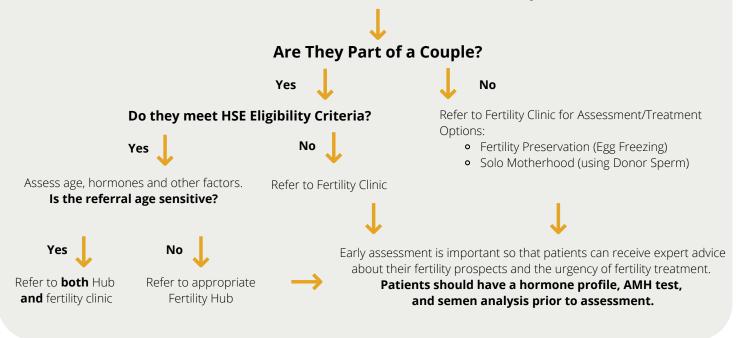
## **Ineligible Patients**

- Female patients over 41
- Single women
- Same-sex couples
- Egg Donation patients
- Sperm Donation patients
- Secondary Infertility
- Over or underweight patients
- Patients with a history of sterilisation
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- Patients with known genetic risk

## **Hub Locations**

Cork University Maternity Hospital Coombe Hospital Dublin Galway University Hospital National Maternity Hospital Dublin Nenagh Hospital, Tipperary Rotunda Hospital Dublin

#### **Patient Attends GP Practice with Fertility Concern**



#### **Outpatient Services**

Early assessment gives patients information, explores the possibility of less invasive treatments, and leads to better outcomes.

Outpatient Investigations: Semen Analysis, Hormone blood tests including AMH.

#### How To Refer To Waterstone Clinic



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- Renowned patient care

- Private and convenient locations
- Specialised team for PGT-M, PGT-SR & PGT-A
- Egg Freezing programme with proven outcomes
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#### **Our Locations Nationwide**

DUBLIN CITY CENTRE	KILDARE	CORK	LIMERICK	WATERFORD
8 Fitzwilliam Square Upp. Dublin 2	Vista Primary Care Naas, Kildare	Lotamore House Tivoli, Cork	Park Manor Mallow St, Limerick	Maritana Gate Canada St, Waterford
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