



Donor Program

Embryo Donation

- Embryos created from oocytes removed from women between the ages of **21 and below 38** at the point of oocyte removal.
- Performed in Singapore
- The nurse shall assess the donor's intent, ensure the donor meet the age criteria,
- Explain the process of the embryo donor and shall fill up a lifestyle questionnaire (Live Donor Assessment Questionnaire).
- After donor meets criteria for assessment, the potential donor is arranged for a psychosocial assessment.
- When the psychosocial report is ready, the case is discussed at the IVF team meeting for clearance from **The Clinical Governance Officer**.

What does it involve?

- Blood investigations for Full Blood Count, Hepatitis B, Hepatitis C, VDRL, HIV, CMV blood IgG, IgM, **HTLV Type I and II, urine Gonorrhoea, Chlamydia** and urine CMV isolation, blood group and Rh will be taken
- When all results are cleared and ensure that the couple is given at least 7 days to consider then to arrange for the couple to sign the consent for donation (Oocyte & Sperm).
- Nurse shall arrange an appointment with Doctor for donor consent taking,. The doctor shall fill up the donor's clinical assessment direct into the **IVF database system**.
- The doctor shall perform the physical assessment and clinical examination.

Extra pointers:

- Donors shall be given at least 7 days to consider
- Consent shall be done after the 7 days of consideration
- Donor can withdraw consent if donated samples are not used.

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