Semen Collection

AS THIS IS A TIME-SENSITIVE TEST, APPOINTMENTS ARE ESSENTIAL.

SAMPLES CAN THEREFORE BE ACCEPTED ONLY AT THE LOCATION WHERE YOUR APPOINTMENT WAS MADE.

Collecting your semen sample

Please follow these instructions exactly;

- Obtain a sterile container from your doctor, local pharmacy or Melbourne IVF.
- Avoid intercourse or masturbation for a minimum of 2 days and maximum of 7 days before
 your appointment.
- Write your full name, date of birth and number of days abstinence on the container prior to collecting your sample.
- Produce your sample by masturbation, directly into the labelled container without using lubricant or a condom.
- If bringing your semen sample from home, **produce your sample within 1 hour of your appointment.**While in transit, keep the sample at body temperature by carrying it in a pocket close to your skin.
- If you live more than one hour's travel time away from your appointment location, or would prefer to use one of our private collection rooms, please make this known to us at the time you make your appointment as limited room times are available.
- Full payment is required on delivery of your sample to Melbourne IVF.
- This request slip **must** accompany your sample.

Email: andrology.bookings@mivf.com.au

For clinical reasons, your doctor has requested these tests be performed by the Andrology Laboratory at Melbourne IVF. While you are free to have these tests done by a laboratory of your choice, results may be delayed and a Medicare benefit cannot be claimed. Please inform your doctor if you elect to use a provider other than Melbourne IVF.

MelbournelVF	MAKING YOUR APPOINTMENT Appointments are available at the following locations:
East Melbourne	Templestowe Lower
Level 1, 344 Victoria Parade	268 Manningham Road
T (03) 9473 4749	T (03) 9473 4749
Monday - Friday: 9.00 am - 3.00 pm	Monday - Friday: 9.00 am – 3.00 pm