

The Reproductive Medicine Group is pleased to offer semen analysis and sperm counts for patients at its four convenient locations throughout the Tampa Bay area.

We are happy to perform testing for patients who have a physician prescription. The fee is \$130 for the sperm analysis and \$80 for a post vasectomy sperm count.

Instructions for Scheduling an Appointment for a Semen Analysis

For post vasectomy patients:

Your physician will give you specific instructions on how long after your procedure you should wait before this testing is performed.

For infertility related testing:

Please refrain from intercourse, masturbation or other sexual activity that results in ejaculation for a minimum of 2 days, and a maximum not to exceed 5 days prior to your appointment.

Scheduling appointments:

Please call one of the offices listed on the reverse side of this instruction form to schedule your appointment. You will need your insurance information available at the time you call to schedule your appointment.

Instructions for Semen Analysis Collections

It is preferred that specimens be collected at our office where collection facilities are available. However, you may collect the specimen at home in a sterile container, if it can be transported to our office within one hour (60 minutes) of collection. Results will be mailed to your physician within one week.

Please remember you must bring with you the written prescription from the physician ordering this test. For identification purposes, a picture ID, whether you will be collecting the specimen at our office or dropping it off for analysis, is required. To minimize waiting time, visits without appointments are discouraged.

- 1. Collect the specimen by masturbating into a sterile container. Use no lubricants.
- 2. Be sure the entire specimen is collected, from beginning to end of ejaculation.
- 3. If you are collecting at home, the specimen must arrive at the office within one hour (60 minutes) of collection time. Be sure to keep it close to body temperature by placing it in your shirt pocket or wrapping it in a towel. Do not expose it to extreme temperatures such as air conditioning or heater vents.
- 4. Your results will be available from your referring physician in 7-10 business days. Please contact your physician to obtain your results.

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