

Fertility counseling abroad

Gynaecology

You are following an Orientation Fertility Examination (OFO) or fertility treatment with a healthcare provider abroad. We call this provider your main treating physician. You choose to have the additional tests done in the Netherlands at DC Klinieken. This folder explains what this means and what you can expect from us.

Important things you must arrange yourself

You are responsible for informing your health insurer. Tell them that you are receiving treatment abroad and that you will have additional tests done in the Netherlands. Your insurer can tell you whether these costs are covered. You must always pay the invoice directly after your appointment with us.

During the intake, the doctor will discuss which steps are needed in your treatment and which tests belong to these steps. You will also hear what the costs are.

Please note that we do not support treatments that use donor sperm or donor eggs from an unknown donor.

Before the examination

If you know that you have an allergy or sensitivity, please tell us before the examination. The doctor will take this into account.

Ultrasound examination

With an internal (vaginal) ultrasound we look at:

- The size and shape of the uterus
- Any abnormalities in the uterus or ovaries
- The growth of follicles
- The thickness of the uterine lining

Your main treating physician decides on which days the ultrasounds are needed. The ultrasounds are done in our clinic. After the ultrasound you will receive a paper report. You send this report to your main treating physician yourself.

Blood tests for hormones

We do not perform blood tests for hormone levels. If you have received a blood test request form from a university medical center, you can visit OLVG East or OLVG West. We recommend going before 9:00 AM. Please check in advance whether your blood test request form is accepted and what the opening hours of the blood draw location are.

Emergency after visiting DC Klinieken

In case of an emergency, call: 088 0100 998.

Questions

For more information and answers to frequently asked questions, go to: www.dcklinieken.nl/contact or contact our Service and Information Centre at 088 0100 900.