

The Miracle Of Life

# **Welcome to PIVET Medical Centre**

In order to provide you with the best medical and nursing care, PIVET will be compiling a detailed personal, general health and clinical profile, starting from your initial consult. This also involves a physical examination on both partners during the consult appointment.

As part of the clinical assessment, our Doctors will ask you to have initial blood tests after your consultation. We do ask that you please set aside 1 – 2 hours of your time for this visit, to allow our Doctors to spend quality time with you and to attend to the necessary tests.

During this consult, the Doctor will review past history i.e.: prior treatment, operations, blood tests etc., therefore we do ask that you please bring along any relevant history that may assist PIVET with this process.

As part of your initial investigations, PIVET will require you to undergo an ultrasound scan, which is performed after the initial consult at SKG Radiology. You will be given the necessary information and a PIVET referral to arrange for this ultrasound during your consult with the Doctor. Please schedule and attend your ultrasound appointment prior to PIVET consults.

Following your initial consult, PIVET requires patients to attend a further review consult 4 weeks later where the Doctor will discuss the results of the tests performed during your initial consult. At the time of your review consult, the doctor will also discuss the best course of treatment to be undertaken.

#### **BMI REQUIREMENTS**

Before a treatment cycle can commence, a patient's BMI must be ≤ 35kg/m2. Patients are welcome to attend for an initial consultation if their BMI exceeds the limit. Advice will be given to the patient with regards to reducing their BMI to meet the BMI criteria. Once the BMI is ≤ 35kg/m2, a treatment cycle will be arranged. If a re-check at Day 1 or Day 2 exceeds 35kg/m2, the cycle will not proceed.

PLEASE NOTE: PIVET REQUIRES CONFIRMATION OF YOUR SCHEDULED APPOINTMENT NO LATER THAN 24 HOURS IN ADVANCE. CANCELLATIONS WITHIN THIS TIME FRAME WILL RESULT IN A 50% LATE NOTICE CANCELLATION FEE. FOR NO-SHOWS OR CANCELLATIONS ON THE DAY OF YOUR APPOINTMENT A FULL CONSULTATION FEE WILL BE CHARGED.

For couples attending PIVET for fertility appointments, we do ask that both partners be present, where possible.

As PIVET is a specialist clinic, we do require all patients including partners to present a current referral from your referring Doctor, advising you to visit PIVET. This will also allow you to claim Medicare entitlements for your PIVET consults.

Please complete the attached forms and return to PIVET via the same email address the initial forms were sent prior to your scheduled appointment. If you are unable to return the forms please contact the clinic so that administration can provide you with further instructions.

#### Please provide the following at the time of your initial consult:

- Photo ID (drivers license / passport)
- Recent X-Rays / Ultrasounds / Blood Tests
- Previous Medical Records (if applicable)
- Referral from General Practitioner

If you require assistance translating at the time of your appointment, please notify Administration so that an interpreter can be organised

Should you require further information concerning your PIVET consult, please do not hesitate to ask our friendly staff for advice.

### **PARKING**

Parking at PIVET is at times very limited. Recommended parking areas:

- Joseph Street
- Connolly Drive
- McCourt Street

- Cambridge Street
- St John of God Hospital Subiaco undercover parking fees applicable

Please note that if you park in a residential parking area, you may receive a City Council / Ranger infringement notice.

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### **Bus and Train Services**

There are numerous bus or train services to West Leederville which are easily accessible to the public; Below are the stops available

BUS: 81, 83, 84 and 85 (stops on Cambridge Street outside SJOG Subiaco)
TRAIN: Fremantle Line from the city to Subiaco station. Short walk to PIVET from the train station.
Joondalup Line to Leederville Station

## Initial Expenses that might be involved during your initial management

Expenses	Upfront Costs	Medicare Rebate
Initial Appointment per couple	\$400	\$144.00
Initial Appointment per patient	\$200	\$72.00
Female Initial Blood Test (AMH is \$70.00 non claimable for the females and invoiced at Clinipath)	Bulk billed	Bulk billed
Male Initial Blood Test	Bulk billed	Bulk billed
Female Initial Ultrasound's	Bulk billed	Bulk billed
Male Initial Ultrasound's	Bulk billed	Bulk billed
Semen Analysis	\$150.00	Non-Claimable

\*\*The ultrasounds are bulk billed at SKG Subiaco and Wembley so if you chose to go elsewhere you risk paying a fee\*\*

# **CLINIC ADDRESS, OPENING HOURS, GENERAL & EMERGENCY CONTACT DETAILS**

166 - 168 Cambridge Street, West Leederville, Perth, WA 6007 Ph: 08 9422 5400 Fax: 08 9382 4576

> Monday - Friday: 7.30am - 4.30pm Saturday: CLOSED Sunday - CLOSED

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