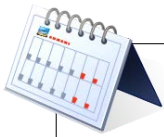


**PREPARING FOR YOUR EGG RETRIEVAL SCHEDULED ON \_\_\_\_\_.**



**Two (2) days before your egg retrieval, on the \_\_\_\_\_.**

1. Take your last dose of \_\_\_\_\_ before \_\_\_\_\_ p.m.
2. Do NOT take \_\_\_\_\_ anymore.
3.  36 hours or  38 hours before egg retrieval, take injection of:

**Ovidrel**

Ovidrel 250 mg

Time: \_\_\_\_\_

OR

**HCG**

- HCG 10,000 IU
- HCG 5,000 IU
- HCG 3,333 IU
- HCG 2,500 IU

Time: \_\_\_\_\_

OR

**Buserelin**

Buserelin 1 mg

Time: \_\_\_\_\_



Please note that it may not be possible to perform the egg retrieval if this injection is not taken as indicated above.



**One (1) day before your egg retrieval, on the \_\_\_\_\_.**

- No injections today
- Do not eat or drink after midnight – no water. It is important that your stomach is empty at the time of retrieval



**On the day of egg retrieval, scheduled on the \_\_\_\_\_.**

- Plan to arrive at the Clinic at \_\_\_\_\_
- **You may not drive** today because of the medications that will be administered during the procedure. Someone **must** escort you from the Clinic
- Your partner will be asked to provide his specimen upon arrival (no more than 2 or 3 days of abstinence is recommended)
- Please bathe or shower the evening before or the morning of collection. Avoid perfume, make-up and nail polish.
- Bring with you the following medication:  
 Crinone  Endometrin  Prometrium  Progesterone  Doxycycline  Medrol  Estrace
- Bring Medicare and blue hospital cards **for you and your partner**
- Bring a snack for after the procedure
- Bring a sanitary pad
- Arrange for child supervision (if applicable) as children are not allowed in the procedure and recovery rooms and they cannot be left unattended in the waiting room