



Semen Analysis

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860-321-7082 or 844-467-3783

Semen analyses are performed at The Center
by appointment only.

What is a semen analysis?

The semen analysis is one of the first steps in analyzing male fertility. The semen analysis is an assessment of the semen characteristics and measures sperm count, sperm motility and may include an assessment of sperm morphology (size and shape of the sperm cells).

What to expect – prior to your appointment:

- Prior to your appointment, **abstain from any ejaculation for 2-7 days.**
- Be sure you have a **requisition (test request)** from your doctor.
- If you are driving from a distance that is within 1 hr. of The Center, you will be asked to **produce the sample at home and deliver it to The Center** at the time of your appointment.
- Prior to the day of your appointment, you will need to obtain a **semen analysis kit** which includes **collection instructions and a sterile specimen cup.**
- If you are travelling from a distance > than 1 hour from the Center, you will need to produce your sample once you arrive.

What to expect on the day of your appointment:

- If you produced your sample at home, please keep it **upright at room temperature** and bring it with you along with your **requisition and a photo ID.**
- If you are producing your sample at The Center, you will be asked for **your photo ID and your requisition** when you arrive. Then, you will be escorted to a collection room where you will receive the following instructions:
 - Confirm all identification labels are accurate.
 - Wash hands
 - Collect the entire sample by masturbation without the use of any lubricant. If lubricant is needed, approved lubricant can be provided by the lab staff.
 - Deliver the sample to the andrology lab.

How do I obtain my test results?

Your results will be sent to your referring physician within 72 hours.

If you need additional information please call **860-321-7082.**

