



Eligibility

The test is recommended for couples who have repeated IVF failure, poor blastocyst development or for men who are heavy smokers. Your doctor will be able to advise you if this test is suitable for you.

Testing

The test is performed on live sperm taken from a fresh sample, which is then washed to isolate the motile sperm.

Cost

The test includes a semen analysis and costs are available upon request. A proportion of this cost can be claimed through Medicare.

Results

The results will be sent to your doctor within 3 working days.

Appointments

An appointment for this test can be made the same way as a semen analysis appointment by contacting Repromed. As this is a specialized test and takes several hours to complete, there are some limitations as to when appointments may be available.

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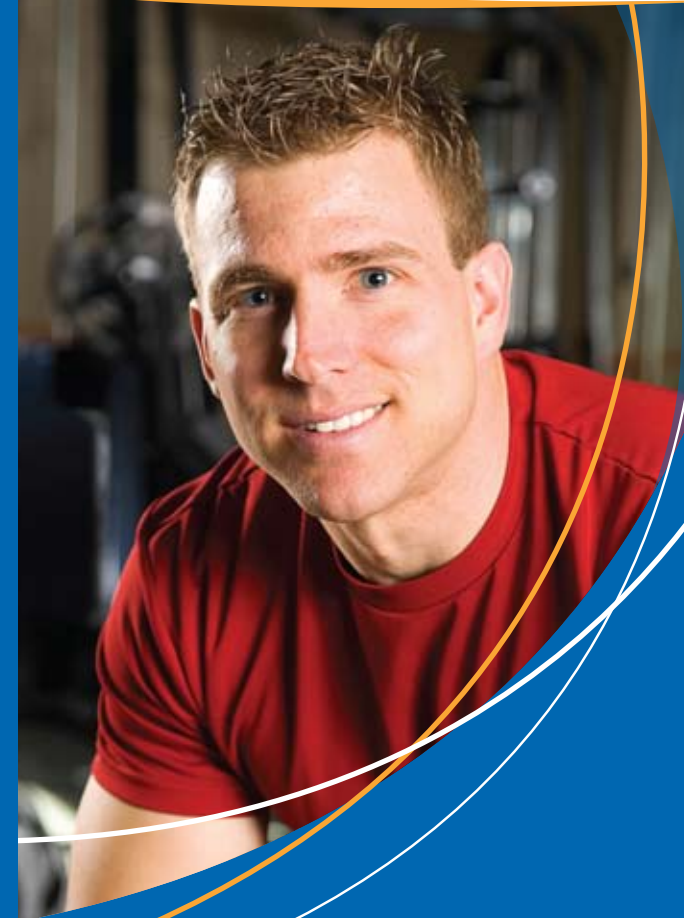
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Tunel Test
Sperm health

At Repromed, our goal is to do whatever we can to help you realise your dream of having a child. Part of this is determining what may be contributing to your infertility. Repromed has introduced a new test called the TUNEL Test, which determines the health of the DNA in sperm.



Smoking, alcohol, some chemicals and other factors can damage the DNA in cells including sperm cells. The TUNEL Test allows us to assess any DNA damage in sperm. The test is performed in conjunction with a routine semen analysis and provides additional information as to the quality of the sperm.

As Repromed is interested in the DNA of live (motile) sperm, the semen is washed to isolate the motile sperm from a preparation. Therefore it is important that a fresh sample is provided to the laboratory.

