When it comes to fertility care, where you turn first matters most. To make an appointment with a Penn Fertility Care specialist or for more information about any of our current clinical trials, call 800.789.PENN (7366) or log on to pennmedicine.org/fertility.

LOCATIONS
Penn Fertility Care
3701 Market Street, 8th Floor
Philadelphia, PA 19104

Penn Fertility Care at Pennsylvania Hospital
801 Spruce Street
Spruce Building, 7th Floor
Philadelphia, PA 19107

Penn Fertility Care at Penn Health for Women
Penn Medicine at Radnor
250 King of Prussia Rd
Radnor, PA 19087

For many couples, conceiving a pregnancy is not as easy as they had hoped. At Penn Fertility Care, we offer more than hope. Our physicians diagnose and treat a full range of fertility and reproductive conditions in an environment of compassionate intervention, sophisticated technology, clinical research and goal-oriented reproductive care.

WHAT CAUSES INFERTILITY?
Infertility may be due to problems with the female partner, male partner, or both.

Female Infertility
Problems with ovulation are the most common causes of female infertility. These problems can be easily diagnosed and successfully treated through drug therapy designed to stimulate ovulation, or assisted reproductive technologies such as in vitro fertilization. Other causes include:

• Age
• Cancer treatment
• Endometriosis
• Fallopian tube damage or dysfunction
• Hormone problems

Male Infertility
In 40 percent of infertile couples, a male factor is present; therefore, evaluating the male early in the process is important. Possible causes of male infertility include reduced number and poor quality of sperm, a blockage in the reproductive tract or damaged testicles.

WHO SHOULD SEE A FERTILITY SPECIALIST?
• Individuals under age 35 and unable to conceive after a year of trying to get pregnant.
• Individuals age 35 and over and unable to conceive after 6 months of trying to get pregnant.
• Individuals who have lost two or more pregnancies due to miscarriage.
• When other fertility treatments have not been successful.
In Vitro Fertilization
Penn Fertility Care offers comprehensive in vitro fertilization services in one convenient location, including fertility evaluation; certified on-site andrology, embryology and endocrine laboratories; available egg donors; preimplantation genetic diagnosis and in vitro fertilization. Penn Fertility Care’s IVF success rates rank among the highest in the Mid-Atlantic Region.

Egg Donation
The option to receive a donated egg is an excellent, medically appropriate therapy for women who have diminished ovarian function and are unable to produce their own eggs. The Donor Egg Program at Penn Fertility Care offers all egg donation services in one convenient location. Our staff of highly skilled physicians and nurses are available to answer your questions throughout the process.

Donor egg program (egg donors and recipients)

Reproductive surgery (including robotic surgery)
Penn surgeons perform more robotic gynecologic surgeries than any other program in the Philadelphia region to surgically treat uterine fibroids, congenital uterine malformations, endometriosis, pelvic pain and excessive uterine bleeding. A variety of these conditions, including tubal ligation reversal, may be performed using minimally invasive or robotic-assisted surgery. The benefits of these procedures include smaller incisions, less scarring, significantly less pain, less blood loss and shorter recovery times.

Conditions Treated:
- Absent or abnormal menstruation
- Cancer-specific fertility conditions
- Congenital disorders
- Endometriosis
- Hormone disorders
- Menstrual disorders
- Ovulation failure
- Pelvic pain
- Polycystic Ovary Syndrome (PCOS)
- Premature ovarian failure
- Recurrent pregnancy loss
- Tubal disease
- Uterine fibroids

FERTILITY EVALUATION
After an initial consultation with a fertility specialist, patients undergo a fertility evaluation that includes:
- Comprehensive health history
- Confirmation of ovulation
- Analysis to determine the number and quality of sperm
- Measurement of hormone levels
- Evaluation of the uterine cavity and fallopian tubes
- More detailed tests may be needed if the initial tests do not reveal the cause of infertility

FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE
Our staff includes full-time financial counselors available at any stage in the treatment process. In addition, Penn Fertility Care is a member of the Advanced Reproductive Care, Inc. (ARC) network, which helps make the cost of fertility treatments predictable and affordable for patients.

COUNSELING SERVICES
Patients involved in infertility treatment may experience psychosocial issues such as emotional stress, marital stress, depression, anxiety and anger. Our expert counseling services are designed to help you address these issues and cope with the challenges associated with infertility. We regard your mental and emotional health as an important part of your treatment.

Compassion

We offer more than hope

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