

Licence fees

DI/IVF treatment and storage centres

New licence application	£500
Renewal licence application	£500
Third party agreement (for agreements with centres not licensed by the HFEA)	£250
Renewal licence application (small DI only centres registered before July 2007 and which performed 49 or fewer treatments cycles the previous year)	£250
Recurring fees	
Chargeable IVF treatment* (including ICSI)	£ 100
DI treatment	£ 40

Storage-only centres

New licence application	£200
Renewal licence application	£200
Third party agreement (for agreements with centres not licensed by the HFEA)	£250

IUI treatment-only centres

New licence application	£975
Renewal licence application	£500
Third party agreement (for agreements with centres not licensed by HFEA)	£250
Recurring fees	
Annual activity	£2,950

Research centres

New licence application (small projects)	£500
Renewal licence application (small projects)	£500
New licence application (for projects involving the derivation of human embryonic stem cells or cell nuclear replacement)	£750
Renewal licence application (for projects involving the derivation of human embryonic stem cells or cell nuclear replacement)	£750

All centres

Chargeable variations to licence – change of premises	£500
Other variations to licence	£0

* For clarification of chargeable treatments, read [Chair's Letter ref CH\(16\) 01](#)

HFEA fees

The HFEA does not charge individual patients for fertility treatment. Clinics, both NHS and private, pay a fee to the HFEA towards the costs of being regulated and inspected.

The fee is based on the number of treatments clinics carry out. Currently the fees are:

- **£100** for each cycle of in vitro fertilisation (IVF)
- **£ 40** for each cycle of donor insemination.

Some private clinics pass this fee onto their patients as an additional item on the bill.

Others cover this cost in their overall treatment fees, just as they cover other costs of running a clinic. If you are paying for treatment, ask your clinic about their practice.