

Directions given under the Human Fertilisation and Embryology Act 1990 as amended

Consent

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These Directions are:	GENERAL DIRECTIONS
Sections of the Act providing for these Directions:	Sections 12 (1) (d) and (g), 13 (2) (f), 14 (1) (d) and 15 (2)
These Directions come into force on:	1 October 2009
These Directions remain in force:	Until revoked
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1. Licensed centres must record any consent of a person whose consent is required under:
 - (a) Schedule 3 and Section 33B of the Human Fertilisation and Embryology Act 1990 as amended; and
 - (b) Sections 37 (1) and 44 (1) of Part 2 of the Human Fertilisation and Embryology Act 2008in the appropriate form listed in the Schedule to these Directions.
2. Where the storage period of a person's gametes or embryos has been extended, in accordance with the Human Fertilisation and Embryology (Statutory Storage Period for Embryos and Gametes) Regulations 2009, the PR of the licensed centres at which those gametes or embryos are stored must maintain a record of evidence that the conditions for extended storage of those gametes or embryos have been fulfilled.
3. Licensed centres must maintain a record of any withdrawal of consent by a person who has previously given a consent required under Schedule 3 to the Human Fertilisation and Embryology Act 1990, as amended, or under sections 37 (1) or 44 (1) of Part 2 of the Human Fertilisation and Embryology Act 2008. This consent should be recorded in the WC form as listed in the Schedule to these Directions.
4. Licensed centres holding any of the records referred to in these Directions must be able to produce hard copies of those records upon request from an HFEA member or employee.
5. From 1 May 2010, anyone receiving treatment at a licensed centre must complete a 'Consent to the disclosure of identifying information form' (CD Form) if they have not already done so, regardless of when they first registered for treatment.

Signature



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Deputy Chair of Compliance Committee

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Deputy Chair of the Compliance Committee in accordance with delegated powers granted by the Human Fertilisation and Embryology Authority on 17 December 2008.

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Schedule

Storage

- GS Consent to the storage of your eggs or sperm
- LGS Consent to extending the storage of your eggs or sperm
- ES Consent to extending the storage of your embryos

Donation

- MD Consent to the use and storage of your donated sperm
- WD Consent to the use and storage of your donated eggs
- ED Consent to the use and storage of your donated embryos

Treatment

- WT Consent to the use of your eggs and embryos for your treatment and the storage of your embryos
- MT Consent to the use of your sperm and embryos for your partner's treatment and the storage of your embryos
- MGI Consent to the use of your sperm in artificial insemination
- WGI Consent to the use of your eggs in GIFT

Surrogacy

- MSG Consent to the use and storage of your sperm or embryos for surrogacy
- WSG Consent to the use and storage of your eggs or embryos for surrogacy

Disclosure of information

- CD Consent to the disclosure of identifying information

Parenthood

- WP Your consent to your partner being the legal parent
- PP Your consent to being the legal parent

Withdrawal of consent

- WC Withdrawing your consent or stating your lack of consent