

# Application to remove anonymity for donors



## 1. What this form is for

This form is to be used by anyone who donated gametes or embryos before 1 April 2005 and who wish to re-register in order to permit their name and other identifying information to be disclosed by the HFEA to anyone born as a result of their donation once they reach the age of 18.

You may wish to consider submitting a formal 'Opening the Register' application to ascertain if there were any children born as a result of your donation before submitting this form. Please visit the donor section on [www.hfea.gov.uk](http://www.hfea.gov.uk) for an application form and details of what information you can receive.

Some donor-conceived people who apply for identifying information may wish to use this information to contact their donor in the future. Whenever a request for identifying information is made the HFEA will try to inform the donor prior to disclosure being made. For this reason it is very important that donors provide the HFEA with up-to-date contact details.

## 2. Donor details

Current first name(s):

Current surname:

First name(s) at birth: (if different from current):

Surname at birth: (if different from current):

Date of birth:

Gender:

Place of birth

Country of birth

House name or number

Street name

Town

County

Postcode

Country

Contact number (including area code)

Private email address

### 3. About your donation

Please supply as many details of your previous donations as possible. This could include the clinic name, address and/or the donor number assigned to you.

Clinic details

Date(s) of donation(s)

#### Important information for donors

This form provides information as to your identity and contact details which will be held on the HFEA Register. The HFEA is required to keep a statutory Register under section 31(1) of the Human Fertilisation and Embryology Act 2008.

A copy of this form may be sent directly to the HFEA or via a licensed clinic.

A person over the age of 18 may make an application to the HFEA under section 31ZA of the Human Fertilisation and Embryology Act 2008 to receive information stored on the HFEA's Register. If they appear, from information they provide and information stored on the Register, to have been conceived as a result of the use of your gametes the HFEA may give them the information as to your identity contained on this form and any other information that may be disclosed pursuant to the Human Fertilisation and Embryology Authority (Disclosure of Donor Information) Regulations 2004.

Some donor-conceived people who apply for identifying information may wish to use this information to contact their donor in the future. You should consider carefully the implications of re-registering and discuss these with your family or you may wish to seek professional counselling or similar support services, please visit [www.hfea.gov.uk](http://www.hfea.gov.uk) for details of possible organisations to contact.

#### You cannot later reverse your decision to be identified to a donor-conceived person.

The submission of this form does not affect your right to vary or withdraw your consent to the storage or use of any gametes that remain in storage.

Your signature

Date

### 4. Proof of identity and address

In order to process this request the HFEA requires proof of identity and address.

Please provide one of the following:

#### Proof of identity

Valid passport

UK National Identity Card

Full birth certificate\*

\*If your name has changed since birth please also supply a marriage certificate or deed poll document.

Please provide one of the following:

#### Proof of address

Full driving licence

NHS medical card

Utility bill (dated within the last 3 months)

Payslip

Bank statement

Please note we can only accept originals or copies certified by a solicitor.