

Fertility Journey – Terms and Conditions

Introduction

These Terms and Conditions set out the rules governing application to, qualification for and participation in the **Fertility Journey** programme (hereinafter the “Programme”), under which the Partner Clinic funds free-of-charge fertility treatment for the Participant. Submission of the application form constitutes acceptance of these Terms and Conditions.

These Terms and Conditions consist of two parts:

- **Part I – General Provisions** – the standing rules of the Programme, irrespective of the clinic and the type of treatment.
- **Part II – Annexes** – forms completed for each edition of the Programme by the Partner Clinic and IVF MEDIA:
 - o Annex 1 – Partner Clinic Details
 - o Annex 2 – Type and Scope of Free-of-Charge Treatment
 - o Annex 3 – Programme Schedule
 - o Annex 4 – Conditions of Participation and Qualification

The Annexes form an integral part of these Terms and Conditions. In the event of any inconsistency between Part I and an Annex, the Annex shall prevail with respect to the information specified therein.

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PART I – GENERAL PROVISIONS

§ 1. Definitions

1. **IVF MEDIA** – IVF Media Ltd., publisher of FertilityRoad.com, a company registered in Ireland under number 623124, with its registered office at 18 Friary Street, Kilkenny, Ireland; the organiser of the Programme.
2. **Partner Clinic** – a fertility clinic operating under local law and holding all authorisations, licences and certifications required to provide assisted reproduction services, identified in Annex 1, which funds and performs the Treatment under the Programme.
3. **Programme** – the Fertility Journey programme conducted in accordance with these Terms and Conditions.
4. **Treatment** – fertility treatment provided free of charge to the Participant, the type and scope of which are specified in Annex 2.
5. **Applicant** – an individual or a couple jointly submitting an application form to the Programme.
6. **Medical Consultation** – a consultation with a physician of the Partner Clinic, free of charge to the Applicant, conducted as part of Stage 4 of the qualification process (§ 5), in the form specified in Annex 4 and within the time limit specified in Annex 3. Its purpose is to assess the Applicant’s health on the basis of the Medical Questionnaire and the documentation provided, and to determine whether the Treatment is medically appropriate and safe for the Applicant. The

Medical Consultation does not constitute commencement of the Treatment, nor does it guarantee selection as a Participant.

7. **Participant** – an Applicant selected by the Partner Clinic who has been offered the Treatment and has entered into a Participation Agreement with IVF MEDIA.
8. **Medical Committee** – the physicians of the Partner Clinic responsible for the medical qualification and selection of the Participant.
9. **Participation Agreement** – the agreement entered into between IVF MEDIA and the Participant, referred to in § 7.
10. **Programme Website** – the website on which the Programme and the application form are published, identified in Annex 3.

§ 2. Roles of IVF MEDIA and the Partner Clinic

1. IVF MEDIA organises the Programme and manages its communications. The role of IVF MEDIA is limited exclusively to:
 - a. publishing and promoting the Programme;
 - b. receiving application forms and Applicants' contact details;
 - c. communicating with Applicants on organisational (non-medical) matters;
 - d. entering into and performing the Participation Agreement;
 - e. documenting the Participant's journey through the Treatment in accordance with § 9.
2. IVF MEDIA holds only the information provided by the Applicant in the application form. It has no access to medical records (the medical questionnaire, test results, consultation notes). It does not take part in the medical qualification, the selection of the Participant or the Treatment, and does not provide medical advice.
3. The Partner Clinic funds the Treatment and is solely responsible for all medical aspects of the Programme, including:
 - a. the medical questionnaire (medical history);
 - b. medical consultations with Applicants who meet the conditions set out in Annex 4;
 - c. the medical qualification and final selection of the Participant;
 - d. all medical decisions and the management and performance of the Treatment.

§ 3. Subject Matter of the Programme

1. The subject matter of the Programme is the funding by the Partner Clinic of the Treatment for the selected Participant or Participants, in the number specified in Annex 2.
2. The type of Treatment and the items included in and excluded from the free-of-charge Treatment are specified in Annex 2.
3. The Treatment plan, including the techniques and procedures to be used, shall be determined by the attending physician at the Partner Clinic.
4. The Treatment has no monetary value. It may not be exchanged for cash, substituted with any other treatment or transferred to another person.
5. The Treatment does not guarantee pregnancy or the birth of a child.
6. Tests, medicines and procedures not covered by Annex 2 shall be paid for by the Participant in accordance with the Partner Clinic's standard price list. The Partner Clinic shall inform the Participant of such costs in advance.

7. Participation in the Programme is free of charge. No purchase is necessary to submit an application.

§ 4. Conditions of Participation

1. An application shall be considered only if the Applicant meets all the conditions set out in Annex 4 and none of the exclusions specified therein applies.
2. Each person or couple may submit only one application.
3. Meeting the conditions entitles the Applicant to take part in the qualification process. It does not guarantee receipt of the Treatment.
4. An Applicant who is unable to commit to commencing the Treatment within the time frame specified in Annex 3 shall not be considered.

§ 5. Application and Qualification

1. In order to qualify, the Applicant must complete all three stages. An application that has not passed all stages shall not be considered further.
2. **Stage 1 – online application.** The Applicant completes the form on the Programme Website and accepts the required consents within the time limit specified in Annex 3. Upon submission, the Applicant receives a confirmation e-mail.
3. **Stage 2 – verification of the application.** IVF MEDIA verifies whether the Applicant meets the conditions of these Terms and Conditions. Applications that do not meet the conditions of these Terms and Conditions shall not be considered further.
4. **Stage 3 – medical questionnaire (medical history).** The Applicant completes the Medical Questionnaire online via a link to the Partner Clinic's secure form, within the time limit specified in Annex 3. In the case of an application submitted by a couple, the questionnaire shall be completed by both partners. The questionnaire is received and processed exclusively by the Partner Clinic.
5. **Stage 4 – medical consultation.** Applicants who meet the conditions set out in Annex 4 are invited to a consultation with a physician of the Partner Clinic, in the form and within the time limit specified in Annexes 3 and 4.

§ 6. Selection of the Participant

1. Upon completion of the medical consultations with all qualified Applicants, the Medical Committee shall select the Participant(s), in the number specified in Annex 2, on the basis of the information provided by the Applicant and the criteria set out in Annex 4.
2. The decision of the Medical Committee is final and does not require justification.
3. Each Applicant who has attended a consultation shall be informed of the outcome within the time limit specified in Annex 3.
4. The selected Applicant shall accept the offer in writing or by e-mail within the time limit specified in Annex 3. Failure to accept within that time limit entitles the Partner Clinic to offer the Treatment to another Applicant.
5. Upon acceptance of the offer, the selected Applicant shall sign the Participation Agreement with IVF MEDIA within 7 calendar days of the date on which they were notified of their selection.

§ 7. Participation Agreement and Medical Documentation

1. IVF MEDIA shall enter into a separate **Participation Agreement** with the selected Participant. Execution of the Participation Agreement is a condition of participation in the Programme and of commencement of the Treatment.
2. The Participation Agreement sets out in detail the Participant's obligations relating to participation in the Programme, in particular:
 - a. the scope, form and schedule of documenting the Participant's journey through the Treatment (recordings, interviews, photographs, articles, social media posts);
 - b. the grant of consents and licences for the use of the Participant's image and content;
 - c. the rules of cooperation and communication with IVF MEDIA;
 - d. the consequences of withdrawal or failure to perform obligations.
3. In the event of any inconsistency between these Terms and Conditions and the Participation Agreement concerning the Participant's obligations towards IVF MEDIA, the Participation Agreement shall prevail.
4. Before commencing the Treatment, the Participant shall also sign the documents required by the Partner Clinic and by applicable law, including the required informed consents to treatment and the treatment agreement. These documents govern the Treatment and are entered into exclusively between the Participant and the Partner Clinic.

§ 8. Travel and Personal Expenses

1. The form of the qualification consultation (online or in person) is set out in Annex 4.
2. A Participant who is required to travel to the Partner Clinic for the Treatment shall bear their own travel and accommodation costs, unless Annex 2 provides otherwise.
3. Neither IVF MEDIA nor the Partner Clinic shall be liable for the travel, accommodation or other personal expenses of Applicants and Participants, including where Treatment dates are rescheduled for medical reasons.

§ 9. Publication of the Participant's Story

1. Sharing the story of the Treatment is a condition of participation in the Programme.
2. By accepting the Treatment, the Participant agrees that IVF MEDIA may document their journey from the commencement of the Treatment, through pregnancy, to the postpartum period. The documentation may include video recordings (including at the Partner Clinic), interviews, photographs, written accounts, articles, short videos and social media posts.
3. Content may be published on FertilityRoad.com and other IVF MEDIA websites, IVF MEDIA social media channels, Fertility Road magazine, and on the website and social media channels of the Partner Clinic.
4. The detailed scope, schedule and rules of these activities are set out in the Participation Agreement. IVF MEDIA shall agree each activity with the Participant in advance. The Participant may:
 - a. request that a different name be used in order to protect their identity;
 - b. review content prior to publication and request the correction of any inaccuracies;
 - c. decline to take part in a specific activity or to answer a question they consider too personal, provided that they continue to participate in the Programme. In the event of

such refusal, the Participant shall offer an alternative activity to replace it (of the same form and length).

5. IVF MEDIA shall not publish any information about Applicants who have not been selected.

§ 10. Personal Data

1. IVF MEDIA processes the data provided in the application form (first name and surname, e-mail address, country, telephone number and a description of the Applicant's situation, which may include health information voluntarily provided by the Applicant) solely for the purpose of running the Programme. IVF MEDIA transfers such data to the Partner Clinic so that it may contact the Applicant and carry out the qualification process.
2. Medical documentation (the medical questionnaire, test results, consultation records) is collected and processed exclusively by the Partner Clinic, in accordance with its personal data protection policy and the laws governing the provision of healthcare services. IVF MEDIA has no access to such documentation.
3. Personal data shall not be disclosed to any other parties without the Applicant's consent. The Applicant's rights, including the rights of access, rectification and erasure, are set out in the respective privacy policies of IVF MEDIA and the Partner Clinic.
4. Applicants who have not been selected may receive information from IVF MEDIA about other treatment options at the Partner Clinic or other partner clinics, including special offers. They may opt out of such communications at any time.

§ 11. Withdrawal and Exclusion

1. An Applicant may withdraw their application at any time, at no cost, by notifying IVF MEDIA or the Partner Clinic by e-mail, depending on the stage of the process they have reached.
2. If the Participant withdraws after commencement of the Treatment, or ceases to participate in the documentation of the Treatment without good cause, the Participant shall bear the full costs of the treatment incurred, at the prices applicable at the Partner Clinic. Any other consequences are set out in the Participation Agreement.
3. If the Participant withdraws consent to the publication of their story, the Participant shall bear the full costs of the treatment, at the prices applicable at the Partner Clinic. IVF MEDIA shall remove all published content from its channels. This does not apply to content copied or shared by third parties.
4. An application may be rejected or cancelled if:
 - a. the Applicant has not met the conditions set out in Annex 4;
 - b. the Applicant has not completed the medical questionnaire within the time limit specified in these Terms and Conditions;
 - c. the Applicant has not attended the medical consultation within the time limit specified in these Terms and Conditions;
 - d. the Applicant has provided false or misleading information;
 - e. the physicians of the Partner Clinic determine that the Treatment is not medically appropriate or safe for the Applicant (medical disqualification);
 - f. the Participant has not entered into the Participation Agreement within the time limit specified in these Terms and Conditions.

5. Decisions under items 4(a) and 4(f), as well as all medical decisions, shall be taken by the Partner Clinic.

§ 12. Liability

1. All medical decisions are taken by the physicians of the Partner Clinic. IVF MEDIA shall not be liable for the qualification or selection of the Participant, for the Treatment or for its outcome.
2. Nothing in these Terms and Conditions limits the rights of Applicants and Participants under mandatory provisions of law.

§ 13. Governing Law and Jurisdiction

1. Matters relating to the medical questionnaire, medical consultations, the qualification and selection of the Participant, and the Treatment shall be governed by the law of the country in which the Partner Clinic has its registered office, as specified in Annex 1. Disputes in this respect shall be settled by the competent court specified in Annex 1.
2. All other matters, including the communication and promotion of the Programme, the handling of application forms, the Participation Agreement and the publication of the Participant's story, shall be governed by Irish law and subject to the jurisdiction of the courts of Ireland.

§ 14. Amendments to the Terms and Conditions and Contact

1. IVF MEDIA and the Partner Clinic may modify or cancel the Programme, or amend these Terms and Conditions, including the Annexes, at any time.
2. Applicants shall be notified of any such change by e-mail, and the current version shall be published on the Programme Website.
3. Questions concerning the Programme may be addressed to: [IVF MEDIA e-mail address].
4. Medical questions should be addressed directly to the Partner Clinic (contact details in Annex 1).

PART II – ANNEXES

The Annexes shall be completed by the Partner Clinic together with IVF MEDIA before the Programme is announced. Fields in square brackets [] must be completed, and the appropriate option must be marked in the checkboxes ☐.

Annex 1 – Partner Clinic Details

Field	Information to be completed
Full legal name of the Clinic	FerrobelaLab SLP
Trade name / brand	FerrobeLab
Registered office address	Avda. Oscar Esplá 15 Bis, Alicante, Spain
Tax identification number (CIF)	B54745260
Country of registered office – law governing medical matters (§ 13(1))	Spain – Spanish law
Court competent for medical matters (§ 13(1))	Courts of Alicante, Spain (exclusive jurisdiction)
Address where the Treatment is performed (if different)	Same as registered office address
Healthcare provider registration number / licence	CCN: 1003006277; EU TE code: ES016357
Website	https://ferrobelaLab.clinic/
Languages in which consultations and the Treatment are provided	Spanish, English, French, Italian

Confirmation of details by the Partner Clinic:

Date: [.....] Signature of authorised representative: [.....]

Annex 2 – Type and Scope of Free-of-Charge Treatment

A. Type of Treatment

Field	Information to be completed
Type of Treatment	☒ IVF-ICSI with the patient's own oocytes
Number of funded cycles	1 IVF-ICSI cycle – 1 Participant
Place where the Treatment is performed	Ferrobela SLP, Avda. Oscar Esplá 15 Bis, Alicante, Spain

B. Items Included in and Excluded from the Free-of-Charge Treatment

Items marked “YES” are included in the free-of-charge Treatment. Items marked “NO” shall be paid for by the Participant in accordance with § 3(6).

Item	Include d (YES / NO)
Initial medical consultation	YES
Consultations and ultrasound scans at the Clinic until completion of the Treatment	YES
Pre-treatment screening tests for the female patient	YES
Pre-treatment screening tests for the partner (if applicable)	YES
Cryopreservation of the partner's sperm (if applicable)	YES
Oocyte retrieval (ovarian puncture) under general anaesthesia	YES
Donor oocytes (fresh or vitrified), including donor costs and donor screening	NO
Donor sperm and sperm preparation (if applicable)	YES
ICSI	YES
Other laboratory techniques used in male factor infertility (if applicable)	YES
Assisted hatching	YES
Extended embryo culture to blastocyst stage	YES
Time-lapse embryo monitoring	YES
Pre-embryo transfer tests	YES
Embryo transfer medium (e.g. EmbryoGlue)	YES
Embryo transfer (fresh or frozen)	YES
Vitrification of surplus embryos and their storage (1 year)	YES
Subsequent frozen embryo transfers (of embryos created under the Programme)	YES
Preimplantation genetic testing for aneuploidy (PGT-A) and embryo biopsy	NO
Medication for the patient – ovarian stimulation	NO
Medication for the patient – before and after embryo transfer	NO

The above procedures shall be performed solely and exclusively on the basis of the attending physician's decision. Non-performance of a procedure marked “YES” shall not constitute a breach of these Terms and Conditions.

Annex 3 – Programme Schedule

All times are stated together with the time zone (e.g. CET).

A. Duration of the Programme

Stage	Date / deadline
Programme Website (URL of the application form)	https://fertilityroad.com/fertility-journeys-project /
Opening of applications	1 October 2026
Closing of applications (date, time, time zone)	31 October 2026, 23:59 CET
Deadline for completing the medical questionnaire	No later than 2 days before the consultation
Time frame for Medical Consultations	Within 14 days of submission of the application
Announcement of results and notification of Applicants	by 30 November 2026
Deadline for acceptance of the offer by the selected Applicant	7 days from receipt of the offer
Deadline for entering into the Participation Agreement with IVF MEDIA	7 days from acceptance of the offer

B. Treatment Dates

Field	Date / deadline
Earliest Treatment start date	1 December 2026 (exact date to be determined by the Partner Clinic)
Latest Treatment start date	31 January 2027 (exact date to be determined by the Partner Clinic)
Deadline for completion of the Treatment (last embryo transfer)	1 year from commencement of the treatment

Annex 4 – Conditions of Participation and Qualification

A. Who May Apply to the Programme

Condition	Information to be completed
Type of application	☒ single woman ☒ heterosexual couple ☒ female couple
Minimum age of each applicant	30 years
Maximum age of the female patient on the date of application	38 years (the patient undergoing the Treatment)
Maximum age of the partner on the date of application (if applicable)	60
Required country of residence	Member States of the European Union, United Kingdom, Norway, Iceland, Liechtenstein, Switzerland, United States, Canada, Australia
Availability to commence the Treatment within the time frame set out in Annex 3	required
Acceptance of publication obligations (§ 9) and willingness to enter into the Participation Agreement (§ 7)	required

B. Exclusions

The following persons may not apply to the Programme or shall be excluded from it:

1. employees and associates of IVF MEDIA and of the Partner Clinic, and their immediate family members;
2. persons who have previously received free-of-charge treatment under the Fertility Journey programme;
3. persons currently undergoing treatment at the Partner Clinic;
4. medical exclusion criteria applicable at the Partner Clinic;
5. persons who fail to comply with the physician's instructions during the course of treatment.

C. Applicant Qualification Requirements

Condition	Information to be completed
Medical Consultation	☒ online (no need to travel to the Clinic)

Condition	Information to be completed
Medical Questionnaire, including results of previous tests and records of previous treatment	Required
The Medical Committee selects the Participant on the basis of:	the Applicant's application, the Medical Questionnaire and the medical history taken during the Medical Consultation

Annexes 1–4 approved by:

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