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 **Indian Fertility Society**



**4th Embryology Preparatory Certification Course for ESHRE Exam,**

 **5th – 8th December, New Delhi.**

**Requirements**

To apply for the Clinical Embryologist certification, applicants must:

* Be an IFS member, for more information on IFS membership you can log on to [www.indianfertilitysociety.org](http://www.indianfertilitysociety.org)
* Holds B.Sc / M.Sc / M.B.B.S / M.D (Obst. & Gyane.)
* Have at least three years' hands-on experience in a clinical ART lab
* Submit a log book (please see logbook requirements)
* Pass an MCQ exam to achieve IFS Embryology Certification.

**Log Book of practical experience**

When filling out the application form you also have to show that you have performed a minimum number of treatments during your years in the laboratory

**Minimum number of cases for application as Embryologist:**

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| *Method* |   |
| Oocyte pick up | 50  |
| Semen analysis | 50 |
| Semen preparation | 50 |
| IVF Insemination | 50  |
| ICSI | 50 |
| Zygote and embryo evaluation | 50 |
| Embryo Transfers | 50 |
| Cryopreservation of oocytes/embryos | 50 |
| Thawing/warming of oocytes/embryos | 50 |

 *Please note that****ALL****methods need to be included in your logbook.*

**Example of how to fill in the logbook**

*If the procedure is still ongoing, don’t fill out a date but please write “still ongoing”****on your printed logbook.***

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| **Type of Procedure** | **No. of cycles in clinic****< 12 months** | **No. of own cycles in clinic****< 12 months** | **No. of own cycles in clinic in total** | **Start date** | **Stop date** | **Signatureapplicant** | **Signature supervisor** |
|  Oocyte pick up |  350 |  59 |  536 | January 1998 | Still ongoing |   |   |
|  Cryopreservation |  0 |  0 |  400 | May 1996 | December 2005 |   |   |
|  ICSI |  63 |  50 |  220 | August 2004 | Still ongoing |   |   |

*Please note that you do not have to fill every single case, but only the total number of cycles/cases of each method that you have performed during the period.*

* **Candidates appearing for IFS certification must submit the log book along with completely filled registration form by 15th November 2016 at the IFS Secretariat.**