

## What you need to know about the Win-Test

You are about to benefit from a Win-Test. The Win-Test is exclusively designed for frozen embryo transfer cycles in patients with recurrent implantation failures or those who will benefit from an oocyte or embryo donation. A Win-Test can also be performed prospectively in patients with no history of failure but wishing to personalize their frozen embryo transfer protocol.

The test will allow to precisely identify the exact timing within the theoretical implantation window when your endometrium is receptive. Your physician can thus customize the frozen embryo transfer timing according to the Win-Test results. For this reason, it is mandatory to prepare in the exact same conditions (protocol, treatment) both cycles (biopsy and frozen embryo transfer).

The Win-Test is performed on a mock cycle without embryo transfer. The cycle is **monitored** as a natural cycle or as an HRT (hormone replacement treatment) cycle. One or two biopsies (at 48 hours interval) are scheduled during the theoretical implantation window, e.g., **7-10 days after the LH surge in natural cycle or 6-9 days after progesterone administration during HRT cycle.**

In order to be time-saving and avoid multiple evaluation cycles, our advice is to perform two biopsies at 48 hours interval in order to identify the receptivity window. You should discuss this point with your physician before the treatment start. In case of recurrent implantation failures, the first biopsy should be performed at the timing of the previous blastocyst transfers. In case of prospective testing in patient without previous failures, the first biopsy should be performed 5-6 days after progesterone administration in HRT cycles, or 6-7 days after the LH surge in natural cycles. The second biopsy should be planned 48 hours later.

*If you need assistance to your physician for choosing the biopsy timings don't hesitate to contact us and we will be happy to help you.*

During the preparation of the mock cycle your physician will have to monitor by **Ultrasound** the thickness of the endometrium during the **periovulatory period**. The biopsy is performed only for **endometrial thickness  $\geq 7\text{mm}$  with triple leaf aspect.**

### **Warning**

If your file is incomplete or in absence of payment for the test fees, the results will be delayed. It is though necessary to make sure that all the documents are completely filled-out, signed and received at least on the day that the biopsy is delivered to Montpellier. Please be careful when filling out the documents and make sure that your name is written on each paperwork.

The mandatory documents are listed below:

- The patient's chart signed by the doctor
- The informed consent form signed by the patient
- Information notice signed by the patient

Please be aware that we cannot handle samples from seropositive patients for **HIV, hepatitis B and hepatitis C**.

**A copy of recent negative serology (valid for less than one year) for these infections should be added to the file.**

Win-Test fees 2023\*

<b>1 biopsy</b>	630 €
<b>2 biopsies</b>	750 €
New biopsy within 4 months max**	free

\* Exclusion of the transport fees that have to be paid on extra cost to the carrier company

\*\*In case of altered sample at reception or insufficient quantity of biological material, the Win-Test evaluation will not be possible and a new biopsy will be required. This new biopsy will be **free of charge** if performed during a **maximum period of 4 months after the first biopsy** (the carrier fees will be charged as usual). In case the reevaluation is done more than 4 months after the first biopsy, the total fees will be charged again.

The Win-Test fees are not covered by the French social security, nor by other international insurance companies. You will receive a paid invoice by e-mail usually within a month.

The Win-Test report is provided by e-mail to you and your physician on average 8 days after the sample's reception. For this the file has to be complete and the payment done.

If you have questions or require more information, contact us

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