

# Personalised services for the conception journey

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**Supporting families since 1986, Genea Fertility is located in Wembley and offers a wide range of fertility services through its clinic, day surgery and laboratory – all of which are conveniently on one site.**

Understanding every fertility journey is unique, Genea's philosophy is grounded in providing a tailored approach to every individual, with its leading fertility specialists available to assist with care plans focused on patients' specific needs after undertaking their comprehensive diagnosis.

Genea Fertility offers personalised donor services where individuals can be guided throughout the process of donating their eggs or sperm, as well as in the journey of navigating donor options, whether using a known donor or the Genea Sperm Bank.

For those navigating donor treatment, it is especially important to understand the legal and ethical factors.

"In Australia, there are varying and complex laws between the states," Genea Fertility Fertility Specialist Mathias Epee said. "Not everyone can become a sperm donor.

"To protect everyone involved – the intending parent or parents, any resulting children and the donor – sperm donors must comply with regulation."

Dr Epee said sperm donation must be altruistic and donors could only receive reasonable and verifiable reimbursement expenses they had incurred as part of the donation process.

"Donors must also consent to their identifying information to be placed on the Department of Health Reproductive Technology Treatment Registers," he said.

"A person conceived with the assistance of a donor from 2004 onwards has the right to access identifying information about their donor once they have reached 16 years of age.

"Donors may also access identifying information where there is consent from all parties."

According to Dr Epee, the Donor Conception Information Service is designed to support and provide information to people who are donor conceived or participants in donor conception through a licensed fertility clinic in WA.

"In WA, donors are limited to a maximum of five families through donation, excluding their own," he said.

"There are no limits to the number of children conceived with the same donor within these five families."

Ensuring you are supported throughout the process of planning your future family, Genea offers guidance and heartfelt care in each step of the donor process.

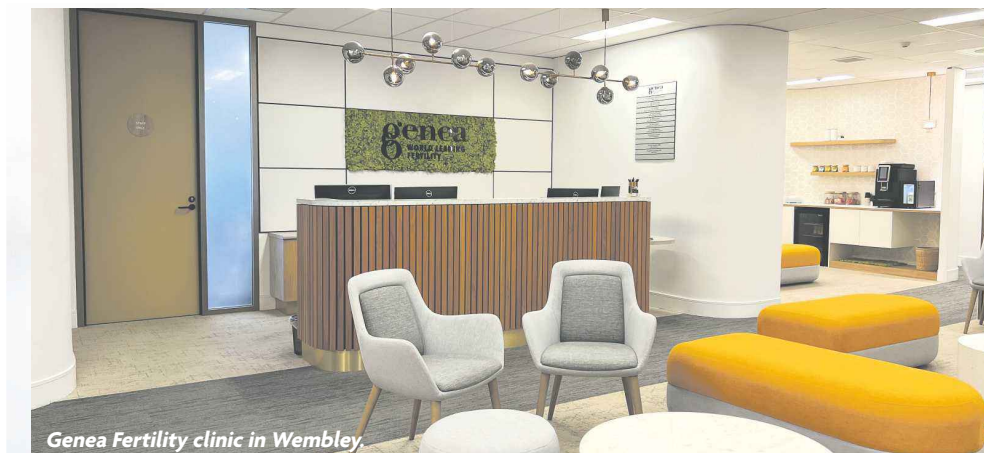
"All donors recruited by Genea undergo full medical and genetic screening, and attend counselling to ensure they consider the legal and ethical implications of donating for them and their own family," Dr Epee said.

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