Australian Women's Health

Medical termination of pregnancy (MTOP)

We provide MTOP for those less than 9 weeks and support and referral for those more than 9 weeks. The service is provided at two clinics:

Point Medical Clinic

Suite 2,

685 Main Street, Kangaroo Point, QLD 4169

And

Smith Brothers Medical Clinic

Parkland Plaza, shop 11 /91-99 Ewing Rd, Woodridge 4114

For booking to either clinic, Please contact us on

Tel 07 3036 1980

Fax 07 3393 2895

email pointmedical685@gmail.com

Less than 9 weeks

MTOP Step by step

1-Blood tests

We aim to do the process over one long consultation. To enable us to do this we need you to do blood tests before you come for consultation. We can send you, or your preferred lab the referral for blood tests. The results will be received in our computer within 48hour. As soon as we receive the results, we will call you to arrange an appointment to see our doctor. Please note we do not routinely ask for ultrasound scan unless you suspect you might be over 9 weeks

2-Consultation

During the consultation, we will assess your suitability for MTOP. The procedure will be explained to you in details. All your questions will be answered before signing a consent form. You will be offered to take the first tablet at the end of the consult. You will be given the second lot of tablets (4 tablets) to take 36-48 hours later at your home. The miscarriage will happen on that day at your home

3- Follow up

You will be provided with MS emergency call number. A qualified nurse will respond to all your queries and may give you an advice.

You need to have a blood tests 10 days after the consultation. This test will confirm the success of the procedure. Our doctor will give you the referral for this test during the consultation. The result is assessed by our doctor. You will only be contacted if there is any suspicious that the MTOP is not successful or if you need more tablets or blood tests.

The link below provides more information about the medications from MS Health.

http://www.mbmc.com.au/ewExternalFiles/Mifepristone Misoprostol Patient I nformation Sheet.pdf

4-Costs

MTOP is a private procedure, the cost is not subsidised by the government.

The cost for Medicare cardholder is:

\$250 paid to the clinic

The cost of medications is separate and is paid to the local pharmacy:

\$ 40.30 for Medicare card holder \$ 6.50 for concession card holder Blood tests are bulk billed

The cost to non-Medicare cardholder is

\$385 paid to the clinic

- + \$390 cost of medications paid to the pharmacy
- + costs of blood tests which is paid to the pathology lab

For more information regarding the process or the estimated cost of pathology tests please call 07 30361980

More than 9 Weeks

The cost depends on the organisation or hospital referred to, public or private. Please note the termination could be medical or surgical depending on the provider.