Requirements

To apply for the Clinical Embryologist certification IFS applicants must:

- Be an IFS member, for more information on IFS membership you can log on to <u>www.indianfertilitysociety.org</u>
- Hold a 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 at indianfertilitysocietydelhi@gmail.com (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:

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	50
oocytes/embryos	
Thawing/warming of	50
oocytes/embryos	

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.**

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	Signature applicant	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 25th October 2020 at the IFS Secretariat.