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Dear Katrina and Greg

It was lovely to see you both for a follow-up appointment today following your recent investigations. I had seen you in June and we had arranged for Greg to have a repeat semen analysis and Katrina an HSG at Wellington Hospital. The HSG showed a normal contour of the uterus and patent fallopian tubes. Greg's repeat semen analysis showed a lower count of 14 million/mL with 15% progressive motility and was negative for antibodies. I have applied for public funding for IVF treatment and IVF with ICSI would be the treatment I would be recommending which would carry the best chance of success.

Katrina's TSH has been a little bit elevated recently so we talked about increasing the dose of your thyroxine to 200mcg for 5 days and 150mcg for 2 days a week and repeat this blood test in 4-5 weeks.

We discussed an IVF with ICSI cycle today and you are considering a private cycle. You are also considering the possibility of embryo banking rather than proceeding with a fresh transfer. This is something that would be confirmed during your cycle once you had seen what the fertilisation rate was. We also discussed the option of PGS which would not be something I would be strongly recommending but is an option.

I will ask the nursing team to contact you regarding cycle set up and I will be in contact with Katrina once I have the results of her thyroid test. I have also requested for Greg to do some blood tests to check for any cause for the lower sperm count and motility and I will let him know when those results have come back through.

Kind regards

Yours sincerely

(checked and approved)

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