



# PHILIPPINE SOCIETY FOR REPRODUCTIVE MEDICINE (PSRM), INC.

Formerly known as Philippine Society of Reproductive Endocrinology and Infertility, Inc. (PSREI)  
 Affiliated by: Philippine Medical Association (PMA)  
 International Federation of Fertility Society (IFFS)

## PSRM IVF LEVEL OF COMPETENCY

IVF PRACTICE LEVEL	DESCRIPTION OF IVF PROFICIENCY	QUALIFICATION	RESTRICTIONS	TERMINAL COMPETENCY
<b>Level 1</b>	<b>1A</b> <i>Observation of IVF cases</i>	Those who have attended didactic courses in basic and advanced IVF	No hands-on IVF practice allowed	Has observed the conduct $\geq 5$ IVF cases of an accredited Level 3 Practitioner
<b>Level 2</b>	<b>2A</b> <i>Preceptorship with Direct Supervision</i>	Those who have observed $\geq 5$ COH and OPU-ET cases of an accredited Level 3 Practitioner.	Directly supervised hands-on COH & OPU-ET	Has managed 7 cases of COH and OPU-ET under direct supervision by an accredited Level 3 Practitioner
	<b>2B</b> <i>Preceptorship with Close Supervision</i>	Those who have managed at least 7 directly supervised cases of COH and OPU-ET	Closely supervised hands-on COH & OPU-ET	Has managed 13 cases of COH and OPU-ET under close supervision an accredited Level 3 Practitioner for 3 consecutive years  Has achieved at least 3 clinical pregnancies (presence of GS on ultrasound) of Level 2 cases ( <i>certified by the Preceptor and the Medical Director of the host IVF lab</i> )
<b>Level 3</b>	<b>3A</b> <i>Independent IVF Practice</i>	Completed $\geq 20$ directly and closely supervised COH and OPU-ETs  Certification by PSRM based on the report of the Preceptor and Medical Director of the host IVF lab	No restrictions on individual/private IVF practice	Has completed $\geq 20$ fresh IVF cases per year with LBR $>10\%$ for 3 consecutive years (properly documented)
	<b>3B</b> <i>Experienced IVF Practice</i>	Performed at least 20 IVF cycles per year with $\geq 10\%$ overall LBR the past 3 years	No restrictions on individual/private IVF practice	Performed at least 50 fresh IVF cases per year the past 5 years, or 200 completed cases with 10% LBR for all cases, or 20% LBR for women $< 37$ y.o. (properly documented)
	<b>3C</b> <i>Expert IVF Practice</i>	Performs at least 50 IVF cycles per year for the past 5 years or 200 completed cases with a total LBR of 10% OR LBR of 20% for women $< 37$ years old the past 5 years (properly documented)	No restrictions on individual/private IVF practice; Qualified candidate for Medical Director of an IVF Unit/ Laboratory	NA

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