

Hystero Contrast Salpingography

As part of your initial fertility evaluation, your physician may recommend a test that will determine if your fallopian tubes are patent. This is known as hystero contrast salpingography (HyCoSy).

HyCoSy is a minimally invasive procedure done in the convenience of our office. It is ideally scheduled between cycle days 6-11. The procedure is relatively quick approximately 5 minutes. We recommend that you take 600-800 mg of ibuprofen 1 hr prior to the scheduled time.

The physician will insert a catheter into the cervix. Simultaneously air & saline are administered through the catheter at which time the ultrasonographer will visualize the flow through the fallopian tubes. The physician will determine at this time if your fallopian tubes are patent.

In the event that the procedure is inconclusive, it may be recommended to schedule an HSG in the hospital.