

A Guide to Your Clinic Visit

When you arrive at The DNA Clinic you will be greeted at the Clinic reception.

You will be introduced to your Case Manager who will escort you to a private and comfortable room.

Please hand in a **signed** copy of the **Consent Forms** and **Terms & Conditions** at reception

During your consultation, a number of topics may be covered.

- Any issues/questions you have, will be addressed
- The testing procedure will be explained
- Buccal (mouth) swabs will be taken. This is a swab that is rubbed on the inside of the cheek to obtain cells. DNA can then be extracted from these samples.

IMPORTANT – Will those individuals having swabs taken, please refrain from eating, drinking or smoking for at least one hour before the clinic appointment. This ensures an optimum number of cells can be obtained.

- You will be asked how you would like to receive your results i.e. at the Clinic during a Results Session with your case manager, a letter or e-mail.

Please note: Clients will receive written verification of results and there is no charge associated with your choice.

- Details will be checked
- Payment will be taken

If you need to talk to someone before the date of your Clinic appointment, please do not hesitate to contact your Case Manager.