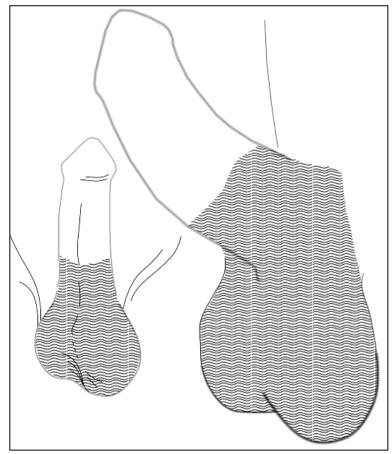
Preparation for vasectomy

Private Clinic

- 1. Call the Private Clinic to schedule an appointment for the vasectomy. A deposit of \$100 is required which is not refundable if you reschedule less than 48 hours prior to your appointment.
- You should cease taking any anti-inflammatory drugs 7 days prior to the surgery. These include Nurofen, Asprin, Disprin, Ibuprofen, Naprosyn, Naproxen etc. Please call the clinic for specific advice if you are uncertain and before you stop taking any medicine which has been prescribed by another doctor. Panadol or Panadeine are OK if you require some form of pain relief.
- 3. The day prior to the vasectomy, shave your scrotum and base and sides of the penis as shown in the diagram using a safety razor. Do not use depilatory cream or an electric razor. Trim any remaining hair with scissors. (see diagram)
- 4. On the day of your procedure, if you are having an IV sedation, you must not eat or drink anything for 6 hours prior to your appointment time, although you may drink water until 3 hours prior. (No other liquids are allowed)
- 5. You need to bring the following items with you;
 - A clean pair of snug fitting underpants
 - Your Medicare card
 - A list of any medication that you are currently taking
 - The fee, as advised by the receptionist, is payable by EFT, credit card or cash.
 - If you are having a sedation, you will need to arrange for someone to drive you home. You must not drive a motor vehicle or operate machinery for the remainder of the day.
- 6. You must shower immediately before coming to the clinic and wear firm fitting underpants

Please call the Private Clinic if you have any questions. Ph (02) 9690-0000



On the day prior to the vasectomy, shave your scrotum and base & sides of your penis as shown in the shaded areas. Do not use depilatory cream or an electric razor.