



## **ASX Announcement**

### **Monash IVF Group Limited (ASX: MVF)**

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#### **NOTIFICATION OF A FIRE OCCURRING AT A SYDNEY ULTRASOUND FOR WOMEN CLINIC IN KENT STREET, SYDNEY**

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A Sydney Ultrasound for Women clinic located at Kent Street in the Sydney CBD was impacted by a significant fire yesterday. The ensuing fire and smoke damage will cause a disruption to our ultrasound services at that location. The Kent Street clinic is one of eleven we have operating in the Sydney metropolitan area.

Commenting on the incident Monash IVF Group's CEO and Managing Director James Thiedeman said: "We thank the NSW Fire and Rescue teams for their effort in promptly ensuring the building was evacuated and the fire extinguished. Our clinic was not operating at the time and thankfully there were no reported injuries. We are grateful to all of those brave people involved in the evacuation and fire fighting process."

An investigation is occurring to determine the cause of the fire and we are assessing the damage to our clinic and the surrounding infrastructure.

We have activated processes to contact and manage our patients who had appointments booked at the Kent Street clinic so their care can continue through the utilisation of other surrounding Sydney Ultrasound for Women (SUFW) clinics.

James Thiedeman said: "Our primary focus is now to ensure we continue to provide the highest quality ultrasound service to all our patients in the Sydney region and ensure their treatment and scanning plans are not disrupted."

At this early stage the potential financial impact to the SUFW business has not been ascertained, however we will keep the market informed as required.

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**About Monash IVF Group**

Monash IVF Group is a leading provider of assisted reproductive services and specialist womens imaging and diagnostic services in Australia and Malaysia. The Group is a driving force in the development of assisted reproductive technologies and has many Australian and world firsts since the work of our pioneers who achieved the first IVF pregnancy in the world in 1973.