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Research Tells Us

More than 2 in 3 women feel unprepared for the menopause journey¹

<10% of women (age 35-60) track their cycles/symptoms²

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Introducing Clearblue® Menopause Stage Indicator



Clearblue® Menopause Stage Indicator uses FSH measurements combined with cycle information and age in an app, to indicate her likely stage on the menopause journey¹

- Premenopause
- Early perimenopause
- Late perimenopause
- Postmenopause

The Clearblue® Menopause Stage Indicator is in line with Stages of Reproductive Aging Workshop (STRAW+10) criteria



1. A confirmed menopause stage diagnosis can only be made by a healthcare professional after all clinical and laboratory findings have been evaluated

STRAW+10 Recognized framework for reproductive aging

MENARCHE (F	IRST PERIOD)				MENOPAUSE*						
Stage	REPRODUCTIVE				PERIMEN	OPAUSE	POSTMENOPAUSE				
	Early	Peak	L	ate	Early	Late	Early		Late		
Duration		Variable			Variable	1-3 years	2 years	3-6 years	Remaining lifespan		
				PRINCIPAL	CRITERIA						
Menstrual cycle	Variable	Regular	Regular	Subtle changes in flow/length	Variable length persistent ≥7-day difference in length of consecutive cycles	Cycle length ≥60-day					
				SUPPORTIV	E CRITERIA		,	X-			
Hormone levels											
FSH			Normal	Variable	↑ Variable	≥25mIU/mL ^c	↑ Variable	Stabilizes			
AMH			Low	Low	Low	Low	Low	Verylow			
Inhibin B			Low	Low	Low	Low	Low	Verylow			
				DESCRIPTIVE CH	ARACTERISTICS						
Symptoms						Vasomotor symptoms likely	Vasomotor symptoms most likely		increasing symptoms o urogenital atrophy		

Menopause is defined as 12 months since last period.

Harlow, S. D., et al. (2012). Executive summary of the Stages of Reproductive Aging Workshop + 10: 19(4), 387–395. https://doi.org/10.1097/gme.0b013e31824d8f40

How can Clearblue® Menopause Stage Indicator facilitate patient discussions?

- Personalized report
 - Details her likely menopause stage and how it was determined
 - At-a-glance symptom tracking of 19 most commonly recognized symptoms associated with menopause
- Improved patient engagement
- It provides women with a tool to educate, engage, and empower them on their menopause journey

This product is not intended to replace the care provided by healthcare professionals

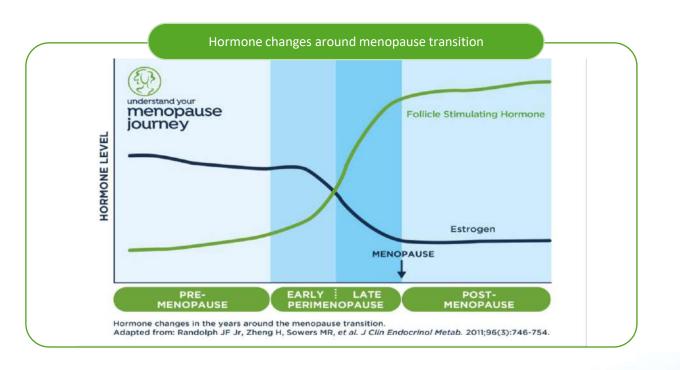


Clearblue® Menopause Stage Indicator – Product Overview



Clearblue® Menopause Stage Indicator

















She takes 5 Urine Tests over 10 days (every other day)



Indicates her likely Menopause Stage based on FSH results, age & cycle history

- Premenopause
- Early perimenopause
- Late perimenopause
- Postmenopause



She can Log & Track symptoms & cycles



Download a personalized report to share with her Healthcare Professional

Who is it for?

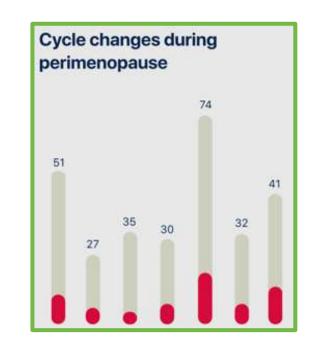
This product may benefit women who:

- Have noticed changes to their menstrual cycles
 - Changes in cycle length (more variability, longer, shorter)
 - Changes to periods (heavier, lighter, longer, shorter)

OR

Have started to experience some symptoms

And who might be thinking 'Is this menopause?'







Contraindications

This product is not suitable for women who:

- Are pregnant or breastfeeding
- Are taking hormonal birth control, hormone therapy, or medications affecting FSH
- Have PCOS
- Have had surgical procedures affecting their cycle (e.g. Hysterectomy, Bilateral oophorectomy, Endometrial Ablation)

It is not for contraceptive use.



FSH in Reproductive Aging



FSH Clinical Data

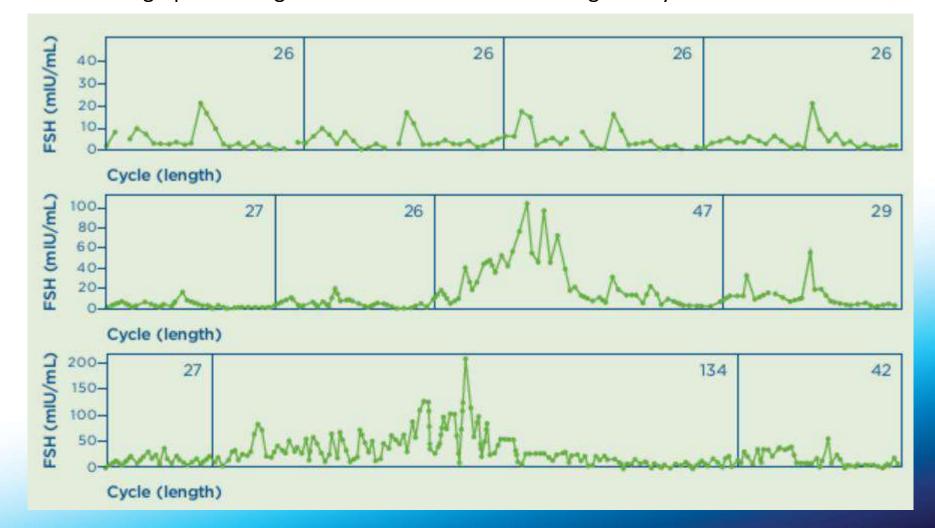
FSH increased during reproductive aging.

- Premenopause
 - Consistent cycle length
 - FSH peaks at ovulation

- Early perimenopause
 - Irregular cycle length
 - Raised FSH

- Late perimenopause
 - Irregular, long cycles
 - Raised FSH

Schematic graph showing how FSH levels fluctuate throughout cycles. SPD Data on file.



Serial FSH tests vs. Single

- Women (n=108) 45-60 years, daily urine samples for up to 90 days
- Stage defined by STRAW+10 cycle characteristics
- When testing on a single day, a similar percentage of cycles in the early perimenopause and late perimenopause group had one positive test (≥25mIU/mL) (21.5% vs 25.0% cycles respectively)
- Testing with 5 Serial FSH tests allows greater distinction between early (39.2%) and late perimenopausal cycles (71.5%) showing 1 or more positive test(s)

Percentage of cycles with positive test			0		1		1 or more	
Percentage of cycl	N	%	Z	%	Z	%		
Menopause stage	Testing							
H CONTROL OF THE PARTY OF THE	5 Consecutive days	850	79.1	122	11.4	224	20.9	
Premenopausal	Single	163	90.6	17	9.4	17	9.4	
Early	5 Consecutive days	557	60.8	86	9.4	359	39.2	
perimenopausal	Single	113	78.5	31	21.5	31	21.5	
Late	5 Consecutive days	734	28.5	176	6.8	1842	71.5	
perimenopausal	Single	90	75	30	25	30	25.0	
Postmenopausal	5 Consecutive days	38	4.9	70	9.0	740	95.1	
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1. Use of serial FSH measurements to detect menopause transition. Poster Presentation P14. The Menopause Society Annual Meeting. 2023. https://menopause.org/docs/default-source/agm/nams23_regular-lb_abstracts.pdf

Clearblue® FSH testing regimen

Our data shows...

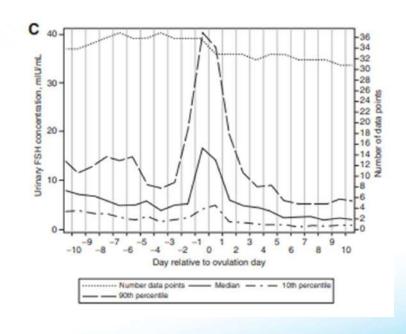
 FSH testing can be done at any time in her cycle (vs STRAW+10 reco of day 3-5)

She does 5 urine tests every other day over a 10 day period
This allows the app to determine her 'overall' FSH level (high, low or variable) and accounts for mid-cycle FSH rise associated with ovulation

This means...

- She doesn't even have to wait until the start of her next cycle
- She doesn't have to test during her period

FSH is a supportive criteria to cycle length information as per STRAW+10. The FSH results are **combined with her age and cycle history** to indicate her likely stage.





Clearblue FSH test stick





Urinary FSH concentrations correlate well with Serum¹

Qualitative FSH levels in urine

- FSH test result:
 - Positive if FSH ≥ 25mIU/mL,
- >99% accurate results in lab conditions

In-app instructions guide her on how and when to test



Product Performance

Clinical Performance

The overall agreement between the Clearblue[®] Menopause Stage Indicator and STRAW+10 reference system for determining menopause stage was **97.5**% (95% CI: 92.9, 99.5)

Laboratory Analytical Performance

FSH test sticks passed >10 analytical performance studies*

FSH test is >99% accurate

Performance in women's hands

Studies with women representative of the intended user of the product



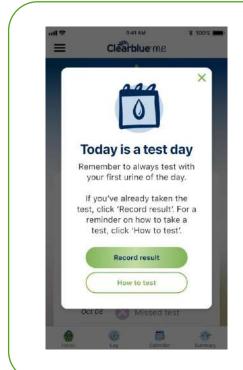


Clearblue® Menopause Stage Indicator – App Features

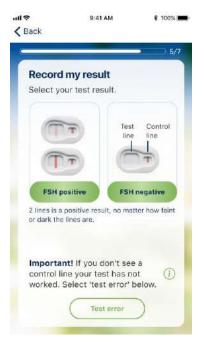


User Validated App

App – Guides her how to test









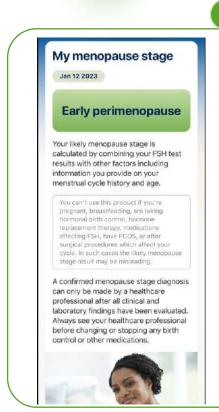


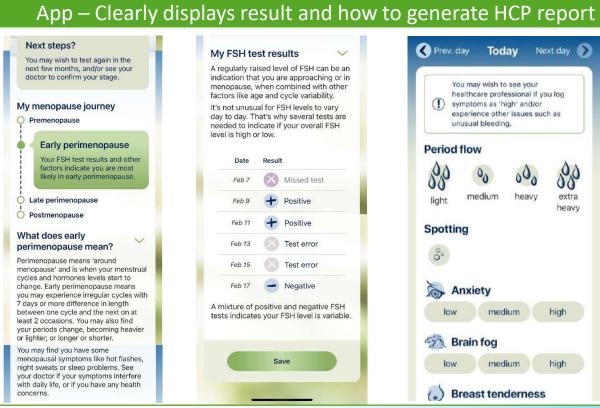
User can set reminders to test

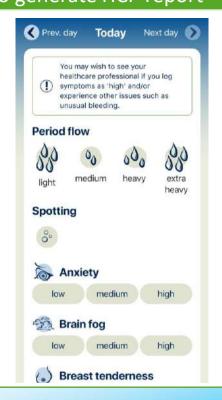
After all tests are taken



User Validated App











Personalized Report to Share with Healthcare Professional



Cycle history

Has she seen irregular cycle length
(varying by 7 days or more) or long cycles

PSH results

Number of Positive (≥25mIU/mI) and

Negative (<25mIU/mI) test results

(60 days or longer) in the last 12 months

The result this woman received from Clearblue® Menopause Stage Indicator

Symptoms logged

Sytmptom type and frequency logged in the last 6 weeks



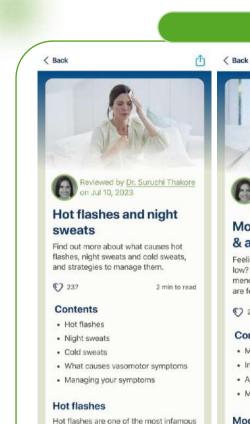


User Validated App

App – Relevant, Credible Educational Content

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symptoms of menopause. Some women

When you go through hormonal changes

menopause transition, they can affect

the part of the brain that regulates the

can get them around 20 to 30 times a

day! So, why do they happen?

like those that happen during the



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& anxiety

are feeling.

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Mood Swings, irritability

Feeling irritable, forgetful, anxious, or

menopause is to blame for the way you

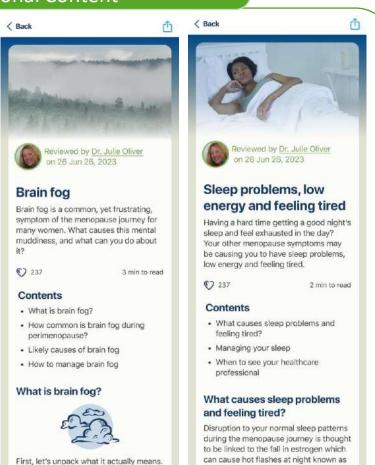
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low? It may be that approaching









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Thank you!

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https://www.clearblue.com/menopause/stage-indicator