

Preface

Andrology, the study of all things male, straddles two worlds in our modern medical apparatus: sexual medicine and reproductive medicine. With differing focuses and often-different patient populations, an andrologist has to truly master both disciplines to take care of the whole male. It is our great privilege to bring to you this book, which tries to bridge a gap between sexual medicine and reproductive medicine. While sexual dysfunction is common and its effects on reproduction just as common, reproductive medicine practitioners often disregard male sexual dysfunction in this age of gamete-centric reproduction.

Our idea was to provide a guide and reference for the reproductive medicine practitioner to better understand and treat sexual medicine problems in the infertile couple. To do this, we pulled together some of the youngest and brightest minds in clinical andrology and asked them to not only give us a review of what is known but also tell us what we still need to learn. We hope you will enjoy this book as much as we have enjoyed creating it!

Best regards,

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