

How much do people know about male sexual problems? A survey in a selected population sample

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Appendix

Questionnaire questions object of the present report (male version)

How frequent do you think that erectile problems are?

- 3 over 100 men 10 over 100 20 over 100 30 over 100 40 over 100 50 over 100

Which do you think are the most frequent causes of difficulties with erection?

(select the condition/s that you think can increase the risk of difficulties with erection)

- Psychologic factors Hypertension Diabetes Vascular diseases Wrong lifestyles (smoking, lack of physical activity, overweight)
 Infective diseases Radical pelvic surgery for prostate/bladder cancer Advanced age Penile trauma

Do you think that difficulties with erection can be an alarm bell for future occurrence of which of the following?

- Overweight Kidney problems Ischemic heart disease None of the previous ones

Which treatments for erectile problems do you know?

- Oral supplements Psychotherapy
 Pills for erection (Viagra, Cialis, Levitra, Spedra and respective generics)
 Drugs to be injected in the penis (Caverject)
 Vacuum erection device
 Surgery for insertion of prosthesis inside the penis
 Else:

Should you have an erection difficulty not solved by drugs, what would you prefer?

- I would live with the condition
 I would like to solve the condition by means of surgery with prosthesis inside the penis

Which resistances would you have concerning a possible surgery/use of prosthesis inside the penis?

- None
 If you have resistances, which are them?

Do you think that coverage for treatment of erectile difficulty should be provided by the National Health System?

- Yes No