Record Nr. UNINA9910782784703321 Autore Taylor Steven <1960-> Titolo Treating health anxiety [[electronic resource]]: a cognitive-behavioral approach / / Steven Taylor, Gordon J.G. Asmundson; foreword by Adrian Wells New York, : Guilford Press, c2004 Pubbl/distr/stampa **ISBN** 1-281-96284-8 9786611962845 1-60623-183-9 Descrizione fisica 1 online resource (318 p.) Altri autori (Persone) AsmundsonGordon J. G 616.85/25 Disciplina Soggetti Illness anxiety disorder Cognitive therapy Lingua di pubblicazione Inglese **Formato** Materiale a stampa Livello bibliografico Monografia Description based upon print version of record. Note generali Nota di bibliografia Includes bibliographical references (p. 267-290) and index. Nota di contenuto What is health anxiety? -- Body and mind: biological and cognitive factors -- Behavioral factors and their consequences -- Learning experiences and the development of health anxiety -- Treatments: a review of the research -- Assessment and case formulation --Cognitive-behavior therapy: an overview -- Treatment engagement strategies -- Cognitive interventions -- Behavioral methods -- Stress management. Sommario/riassunto Grounded in current theory and treatment research, this highly practical book presents a comprehensive framework for assessing and treating health anxiety, including full-blown and milder (subclinical) forms of hypochondriasis. The current state of knowledge about these prevalent and costly problems is reviewed, and assessment methods and empirically supported treatments described. Clear, step-by-step recommendations are provided for engaging patients or clients, implementing carefully planned cognitive and behavioral interventions,

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