Record Nr. UNINA9910790938903321 Globalization and transnational surrogacy in India: outsourcing life // **Titolo** edited by Sayantani DasGupta and Shamita Das Dasgupta; contributors Alison Bailey [and eleven others] Lanham, Maryland:,: Lexington Books,, 2014 Pubbl/distr/stampa ©2014 **ISBN** 1-4985-2520-2 0-7391-8743-0 Descrizione fisica 1 online resource (278 p.) Disciplina 306.874/3 Soggetti Surrogate motherhood - India Human reproductive technology industry - India Medical tourism - India Lingua di pubblicazione Inglese **Formato** Materiale a stampa Livello bibliografico Monografia Description based upon print version of record. Note generali Includes bibliographical references and index. Nota di bibliografia Nota di contenuto Contents: Introduction: 1 The Three Ms of Commercial Surrogacy in India; 2 Reconceiving Surrogacy; 3 Gestational Surrogacy in India; 4 Shifting Sands; 5 The Power of Narratives; 6 The Rhetoric of the Womb; 7 Mother India; 8 A Race to the Bottom?; 9 A Welfare Principle Applied to Children Born and Adopted in Surrogacy; 10 Business as Usual?; 11 Transnational Surrogacy Takes Center Stage; Notes; References; Index: About the Editors and Contributors This edited volume explores transnational gestational surrogacy and Sommario/riassunto how its practice is changing the traditional concept of parenthood across the globe. The phenomenon has given rise to a thriving international industry where money is being 'legally' exchanged for babies and 'reproductive labor' has taken on a lucrative commercial tone. This interdisciplinary collection of essays addresses significant issues in commercial gestational surrogacy as it plays out in a peculiar relation between the United States and India.