

1. Record Nr.	UNINA9910798941303321
Autore	Jensen Robin E. <1979->
Titolo	Infertility : tracing the history of a transformative term // Robin E. Jensen
Pubbl/distr/stampa	University Park, Pennsylvania : , : The Pennsylvania State University Press, , [2016] ©2016
ISBN	0-271-07821-9
Descrizione fisica	1 online resource (xiii, 225 pages :) : illustrations ;
Collana	The RSA series in transdisciplinary rhetoric
Disciplina	618.178
Soggetti	Infertility, Female Medicalization Rhetoric Infertility, Female - Social aspects
Lingua di pubblicazione	Inglese
Formato	Materiale a stampa
Livello bibliografico	Monografia
Nota di bibliografia	Includes bibliographical references (pages 189-209) and index.
Nota di contenuto	From barren to sterile : the evolution of a mixed metaphor -- Vital forces conserved : narrating energy conservation and human reproduction at the turn of the century -- Improving upon nature : the rise of reproductive endocrinology and chemical theories of fertility -- Psychogenic infertility : the unconscious defense against motherhood -- Fertility in clinical time : the integration of scientific specialties as infertility studies.
Sommario/riassunto	"Analyzes how infertility has been defined in and across technical, mainstream, and lay communities, and how different, emergent conceptualizations of infertility have had implications for individuals and the societies in which they live"--Provided by publisher.