Record Nr. UNINA9910811584903321 Autore Lee John <1963-> Titolo Back pain / / John Lee, Suzanne Brook, Clare Daniel Oxford;; New York,: Oxford University Press, 2009 Pubbl/distr/stampa **ISBN** 1-383-04604-2 1-283-58141-8 9786613893864 0-19-157580-1 Edizione [1st ed.] Descrizione fisica 1 online resource (143 p.) The facts series Collana Altri autori (Persone) BrookSuzanne <1967-> DanielClare <1966-> Disciplina 617.5/64 Soggetti Backache Pain Lingua di pubblicazione Inglese **Formato** Materiale a stampa Monografia Livello bibliografico Note generali Includes index. Nota di contenuto Contents; Section 1 Understanding back pain; 1 How is the back constructed?; 2 What is back pain?; 3 Scans, X-rays and that word 'degenerating'; 4 How did the pain get to take over my life?; Section 2 Medical treatments: 5 What different types of professionals could help?: 6 Can my back pain be cured by injections or surgery?; 7 Can I take medications for my pain?; 8 Thoughts and feelings; 9 Communication; Section 3 Self-treatments; 10 Relaxation; 11 What is the role of exercise and movement?; 12 How much activity can I do?; 13 Specific stretches and exercises Section 4 Bringing things together and real patients' stories14 Coping with a new pain: what can I expect from treatments?; 15 Making sense of scan results and finding a cure; 16 Home life is difficult; 17 Nights are the worst time; 18 My pain has got a whole lot worse; Appendix: Internet resources; Index; A; B; C; D; E; F; G; H; I; L; M; N; O; P; R; S; T; V; W; X; Z This title provides the reader with an in-depth understanding of why Sommario/riassunto chronic back pain develops and what makes it persist. Practical help is

given to promote self-management with advice on stretching, exercise, relaxation, and managing thoughts and feelings associated with long