

1. Record Nr.	UNINA9910820579903321
Titolo	Encyclopedia of complementary health practice / / Carolyn Chambers Clark, editor in chief ; Rena J. Gordon, contributing editor ; Barbara Harris, Carl O. Helvie, advisory contributing editors
Pubbl/distr/stampa	New York, : Springer Pub. Co., c1999
ISBN	1-281-86302-5 9786611863029 0-8261-1722-8
Edizione	[1st ed.]
Descrizione fisica	1 online resource (665 p.)
Altri autori (Persone)	ClarkCarolyn Chambers GordonRena J
Disciplina	615.5/03
Soggetti	Alternative medicine Integrative medicine
Lingua di pubblicazione	Inglese
Formato	Materiale a stampa
Livello bibliografico	Monografia
Note generali	Description based upon print version of record.
Nota di bibliografia	Includes bibliographical references (p. 535-602) and index.
Nota di contenuto	Contents; The Editors; Preface; Publisher's Foreword; Part I: Contemporary Issues in Complementary Health Practices; Part II: Conditions; Part III: Influential Substances; Part IV: Practices and Treatments; Part V: Contributor Directory; Part VI: Resource Directory; References; Subject Index; Contributor Index
Sommario/riassunto	This comprehensive resource of key terms and concepts in complementary health care addresses practices, health conditions, and research-based treatments. Over 300 entries by distinguished contributors to the field explain such alternative therapies as naturopathy, homeopathy, chiropractic, nutrition, and massage. One section is devoted to pertinent issues in complementary health practice including economics, legal ramifications, education, and historical perspectives.