

1. Record Nr.	UNINA9910970347703321
Autore	Morantz-Sanchez Regina Markell
Titolo	Sympathy & science : women physicians in American medicine / / Regina Morantz-Sanchez ; with a new preface by the author
Pubbl/distr/stampa	Chapel Hill, : University of North Carolina Press, 2000
ISBN	1-4696-8401-2 1-4696-8392-X 979-88-908737-8-1 0-8078-7608-9
Edizione	[2nd ed.]
Descrizione fisica	1 online resource (500 p.)
Disciplina	610/.82/0973
Soggetti	Medicine - United States - History Physicians - United States - History Social medicine - United States - History Women physicians - United States - History
Lingua di pubblicazione	Inglese
Formato	Materiale a stampa
Livello bibliografico	Monografia
Note generali	Originally published: New York : Oxford University Press, 1985.
Nota di bibliografia	Includes bibliographical references and index.
Nota di contenuto	<p>""Contents""; ""Preface""; ""Colonial Beginnings and Separate Spheres""; ""Exploring Diversity""; ""Women and Professionalization""; ""Recent Scholarship""; ""New Directions for Future Scholarship""; ""Notes""; ""Acknowledgments""; ""Introduction""; ""Notes""; ""1. Colonial Beginnings: Public Men and Private Women""; ""Notes""; ""2. The Middle-Class Woman Finds Health Reform""; ""Notes""; ""3. Bringing Science into the Home: Women Enter the Medical Profession""; ""Notes""; ""4. Separate but Equal: Medical Education for Women in the Nineteenth Century""; ""Notes""</p> <p>""5. Women and the Profession: The Doctor as a Lady""""Notes""; ""6. The Woman Professional: The Lady as a Doctor""; ""Notes""; ""7. Science, Morality, and Women Doctors: Mary Putnam Jacobi and Elizabeth Blackwell as Representative Types""; ""Notes""; ""8. Doctors and Patients: Gender and Medical Treatment in Nineteenth-Century America""; ""Notes""; ""9. Hopes Unfulfilled: Women Physicians and the Social Transformation of American Medicine""; ""Notes""; ""10. The Emergence of Social Medicine: Women's Work in the Profession"";</p>

""Notes""; ""11. Integration in Name Only""; ""Notes""

""12. Quo Vadis?""""Notes""; ""Appendix. Notes on Methodology"";
""Bibliography""; ""Notes""; ""Index""; ""A-B""; ""C""; ""D-E""; ""F-G"";
""H""; ""I-K""; ""L-M""; ""N-O""; ""P""; ""Q-S""; ""T-Y""; ""W""; ""Y-Z""

Sommario/riassunto

When first published in 1985, *Sympathy and Science* was hailed as a groundbreaking study of women in medicine. It remains the most comprehensive history of American women physicians available. Tracing the participation of women in the medical profession from the colonial period to the present, Regina Morantz-Sanchez examines women's roles as nurses, midwives, and practitioners of folk medicine in early America; recounts their successful struggles in the nineteenth century to enter medical schools and found their own institutions and organizations; and follows female physicians into the twentieth century, exploring their efforts to sustain significant and rewarding professional lives without sacrificing the other privileges and opportunities of womanhood. In a new preface, the author surveys recent scholarship and comments on the changing world of women in medicine over the past two decades. Despite extraordinary advances, she concludes, women physicians continue to grapple with many of the issues that troubled their predecessors.
