1. Record Nr. UNISALENTO991003234729707536 Autore Kurtz, Steven M., 1968-Titolo Spine technology handbook [e-book] / Steven M. Kurtz, Avram Allan Edidin Amsterdam; Boston: Elsevier Academic Press, c2006 Pubbl/distr/stampa **ISBN** 9780123693907 012369390X Descrizione fisica xiv, 535 p.: ill. (some col.); 25 cm Altri autori (Persone) Edidin, Avram Allanauthor Disciplina 617.56 Soggetti Spine Spine - Mechanical properties Spine - Surgery Spinal implants Biomedical engineering Electronic books. Lingua di pubblicazione Inglese **Formato** Risorsa elettronica Livello bibliografico Monografia Nota di bibliografia Includes bibliographical references and index Nota di contenuto Overview of Spine: Intro to Properties of Materials and Synthetic Biomaterials Used in the Spine: Structure & Properties of Soft Tissues in the Spine: Structure & Properties of Trabecular Bone in the Spine: Muscular Actuation and Biomechanics of the Spine; Spine Disorders: Implications for Bioengineers; Fusion: Rods, Plates, Screws, and Cages; Performance of Rods, Plates, Screws and Cages; Biologics to Promote Spine Fusion; Disc Repair & Augmentation; Total Disc Replacement; Vertebral Compression Fracture Augmentation: Standard Test Methods for Spine Implants; Advanced Finite Element Analysis in Preclinical Assessment of Spine Technology; Regulatory Approval Process. Over the past decade, there has been rapid growth in bioengineering Sommario/riassunto applications in the field of spine implants. This book explains the technical foundation for understanding and expanding the field of spine implants, reviews the major established technologies related to spine implants, and provides reference material for developing and

commercializing new spine implants. The editors, who have a track record of collaboration and editing technical books, provide a unified

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