

INFORMATION LEVEL ABOUT SEXUALITY IN WOMEN BETWEEN 15-55 YEARS OLD IN ROMANIA

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Objectives:

The research “The sexuality of Romanian active population” is the largest researches accomplished in Romania in this field in the last 10 years and was initiated by the Romanian Association for Sexual Medicine (AMSR).

The research objectives:

1. Informing and communication
2. The sexual life of the active people
3. The erectile dysfunction and treatment
4. Social- demographical profiles

Design and Method:

- The research has been accomplished on a sample of 1240 people with an age between 15 and 55 years old
- The research is based on a quantitative methodology
- Three groups: youth women (15-25), adults (26-45), older (46-55)

Results:

General information and sexual topics:

- The women are looking for useful information and entertainment
- The main communication partners in sexual topics are the partner and the friends
- The most known sexual affections are AIDS and syphilis
- The pills and the condoms are the most used contraception methods

Regarding the sexual life:

- Sexual life begin is 16 years for the urban people and 17 years for rural people
- The most important sexual life characteristics are having orgasm and romantic mood
- The number of sexual acts are 10-11 per month
- Two thirds of the women have had a single stable sexual partner
- The women consider that the main problems that affect men’s sexual life are the erection problems

Pathology and treatment:

- The main problems of their sexual life are the pain before menstruation 20% and the impossibility to have orgasm 14%
- A quarter declare their partners have had erection problems
- 33% declare that their partner have problems with the ejaculation
- 20% take into account the possibility that the partners will appeal to a treatment for erectile dysfunction
- The most important characteristic is the rapidity and to produce a strong erection
- The most known medicament for erectile dysfunction is Viagra

Conclusions:

This study gives us data about the level of sexual information in women between 15-55 years old in Romania.