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The changing prevalence of infertility
Delayed childbearing, stress, body weight extremes, and environmental pollutants are the major factors in the increasing incidence of infertility.

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Management of female infertility from hormonal causes
The treatment of hormonal infertility involves diagnosing the underlying dysfunction and instituting specific therapies to restore normal ovulatory cycles and fertility.

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Anatomical causes of female infertility and their management
Anatomical causes of infertility can be treated surgically with good reproductive outcomes.

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Infertility today: The management of female medical causes
The association between infertility and environmental hazards, autoimmune disease, metabolic disorders, and thrombophilia is discussed.

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The conventional management of male infertility
Although the male reproductive function is compromised in 50% of infertile couples, the evaluation and treatment of the infertile male is often neglected.

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Psychological and ethical implications related to infertility
Infertility calls for responsible prevention and treatment respecting the dignity of the couple and the unborn as well as the fundamental rights of the family.