

East Meets West in Reproductive Medicine #2

January 12, 2014. 9am - 5pm, Pacific Time

Location: Internet Online Live Webinar

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About the Course

This live webinar covers the TCM and biomedicine aspects of infertility treatment. Learn how to differentiate between male and female causes of infertility. Participants learn how to prevent chronic recurrent miscarriages. Learn how to treat luteal phase defects, tubal blockages, endometriosis and cysts contributing to infertility. Enjoy this course on the treatment and prevention of infertility with acupuncture and herbal medicine.

Program objective highlights for participants:

1. To provide the attendee with a thorough understanding of biomedical diagnosis, evaluation and treatment protocols for the infertile patient.
2. To teach the participants how to diagnose and treat the infertile couple through a TCM perspective.
3. To teach the students the causes and treatments for repeated pregnancy loss.
4. To teach male and female factors of infertility.

This course is approved for 7 California acupuncture CEUs (category 1, valid for in-person CEUs), 7 NCCAOM Diplomate PDAs, 7 Florida CEs (5 general, 2 biomedicine), 7 general Texas CAEs and 7 CTCMA & CAAA continuing education credits for licensed acupuncturists. This course is also approved for 7 California Board of Registered Nursing contact hours. ABORM approval pending.

All that is required is a computer, tablet or smart device with a good internet connection and you will be able to view the live-interactive video webinar. An email reminder with this link to the webinar will be sent to you prior to the webinar. In addition, a download document with login and link instructions becomes available after purchasing the webinar.

About the Presenter:

Mike Berkley, L.Ac. is director of the Berkley Center for Reproductive Wellness and a licensed acupuncturist in New York. He has served as an advisory board member for the Pacific College of Oriental Medicine and the American Board of Reproductive Medicine (ABORM). He is a member of the American Society of Reproductive Medicine and has lectured extensively on the subject of fertility treatments.

Topic Highlights:

TCM and biomedicine perspectives on thrombophilic disorders leading to miscarriages including Anti-phospholipid syndrome, Dual gene variant methylenetetrahydrofolate reductase with hyperhomocysteinemia, PAI-1 insufficiency and Protein C insufficiency. Learn how to translate these issues into a TCM diagnosis.

TCM and biomedicine perspectives on tubal blockages including Mucinous plugs, Dense adhesions, Hydrosalpinx and issues of Blockage v. tubal spasm.

TCM and biomedicine perspectives on infertility relating to cysts including dermoid, endometriomas, functional and Luteinized unruptured follicular cysts.

TCM and biomedicine perspectives on infertility relating to repeated pregnancy loss including Sperm DNA fragmentation, Activated Natural Killer (NKa+) cells, luteal phase insufficiency and Hydrosalpinx.

TCM and biomedicine perspectives on infertility relating to endometriosis including theory, Non anatomical causes of infertility, treatment, and why some women with retrograde menstruation get endometriosis while others do not.

TCM and biomedicine perspectives on infertility relating to luteal phase defects including Poor corpus luteum function, Poor endometrial receptors, Hypothalamic/anterior pituitary causes and Irregular periods for other reasons.

TCM and biomedicine perspectives on infertility relating to male factors including psychogenic causes of erectile dysfunction, Sperm DNA fragmentation, Anti-sperm antibodies and Varicocele.