

# Amr Abdel Raheem



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*Fellowship of the European Committee of Sexual Medicine (FECSM)*

*Fellowship of the European Academy of Andrology (FEAA)*

**Specialist in Andrology, University College London Hospital**

**Honorary Senior Lecturer, University College London**

**Specialities:** Andrology, Male Sexual Dysfunction, Male Infertility, Peyronie's Disease

## **Professional background**

Mr. Amr Raheem is a specialist in Andrology at the University College London Hospital NHS Foundation Trust. He has a wealth of experience, spanning more than fifteen years, in this highly specialised field. Andrology is a subspecialty which deals with the male genital tract. It is an area which is surprisingly often overlooked, especially in comparison to its female equivalent Gynaecology. Mr. Raheem is one of only a few experts worldwide who specialise solely in this unique field.

His main clinical areas of interest are: male infertility, microsurgical sperm retrieval, microsurgical reconstruction for obstructive azoospermia, vasectomy reversal, microsurgical vaso-vasostomy, microsurgical epididymovasostomy, microsurgical varicocelectomy, male sexual dysfunction, penile

prosthesis, Peyronie's disease, penile enlargement, hypogonadism, genital pain, microsurgical denervation of the spermatic cord, priapism and fracture penis.

Mr. Raheem runs a number of specialised clinics for male infertility and male sexual dysfunction in addition to a joint fertility clinic with gynaecologists at the Reproductive Medicine Unit (RMU) and a joint clinic with haematologists managing andrological problems of patients with various haematological conditions.

He is actively involved in teaching undergraduate and postgraduate doctors, as well as training junior doctors and nursing staff. He also trains urologists in clinical and surgical Andrology and gynaecologists sub-specialising in reproductive medicine in male infertility. He has delivered numerous lectures in the field of Andrology to: undergraduate medical students; Urology Diploma students; MSc Urology students; the Institute of Cancer Research, MSc Oncology students; MSc Genetics and Prenatal Diagnosis students; and general practitioners. He has also been invited to lecture in several international medical congresses and has supervised several clinical theses.

## **Research**

Mr. Raheem was the associate chief investigator in several pioneering, multicentre, international clinical trials that have led to innovations in the field of Andrology, including the three UK clinical trials for Xiapex (Collagenase) for the treatment of Peyronie's disease.

He is currently working with UCL R&D on a number of innovative projects in Male infertility and Peyronie's disease.

In addition to authoring numerous publications and a number of book chapters, he has presented the results of his research at several international conferences worldwide. He is also a reviewer for a number of international journals.

## **Awards**

- *Best Poster presentation. 8th Masterclass of Genito-Urethral Reconstructive Surgery, 3rd-6th Nov 2014, UCL,*

*London UK.: Genetic Abnormalities in men undergoing evaluation of infertility- Incidence and clinical outcome analysis. Amr Abdel Raheem, Francesco De Luca et al.*

- *European Award on Sexual Health – Cases that Matter ESSM 2014: Erectile dysfunction caused by an idiopathic fistula shunting cavernosal blood away from the penis. Amr Raheem.*
- *Best presentation, BAUS 2012: Penile prosthesis insertion for refractory ischaemic priapism: immediate vs delayed implantation. Zacharakis E, Garaffa G, Raheem AA, Christopher AN, Muneer A, Minhas S, Ralph DJ.*
- *Best poster, EAU 2009: Total phallic construction using the forearm free flap for penile cancer. G Garaffa, G Brown, A Kandra, A Raheem, A Muneer, S Minhas, AN Christopher, DJ Ralph.*