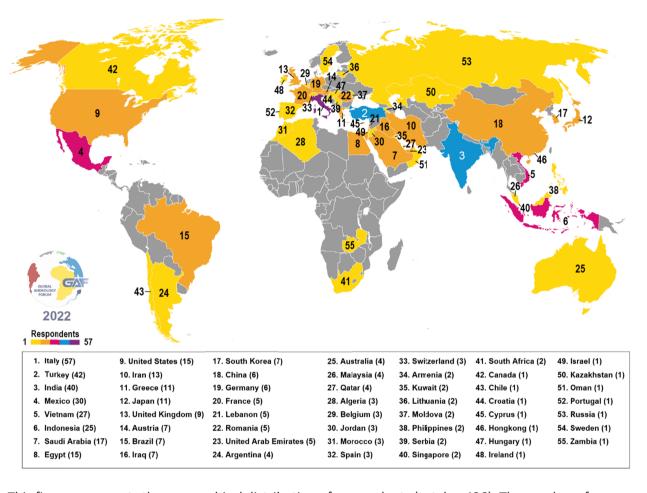


## Supplement File 5. Complete demographic data

## Countries of the participants:



This figure represents the geographical distribution of respondents (total n=436). The number of respondents is shown in brackets after the name of each country. The purple color indicates the country with the greatest number of respondents (Italy; n=57), the blue color indicates the countries with the second and third highest responses (n=40 or above), the pink color indicates countries with responses between 20 and 30, the orange color represents those countries with 5-19 responses, while the yellow color indicates countries with less than 5 respondents.



The results of the other demographic questions are presented in the following table:

Option	N (%)
How old are you (years)?	
25-34	87 (20 %)
35-44	166 (38.1 %)
45-54	93 (21.3 %)
55-64	62 (14.2 %)
>65	28 (6.4 %)
Total	436 (100%)
What is the nature of your employment?	
Physician, attending	275 (63.2 %)
Physician, fellow	22 (5.1 %)
Physician, resident	30 (6.9 %)
Advanced practice provider (Physician Assistant, Nurse Practitioner)	5 (1.1 %)
Reproductive Biologist/Embryologist	51 (11.7 %)
Researcher (Full-time)	24 (5.5 %)
Other	28 (6.4 %)
Total	435 (100%)
What is your area of specialization (as it relates to male infertility)?	
Fellowship-trained reproductive urology	78 (17.9 %)
General urology	97 (22.2 %)
Gynecology	23 (5.3 %)
Endocrinology	24 (5.5 %)
Clinical andrologist	87 (20 %)
Clinical Laboratory	7 (1.6 %)
Embryology/Biology	39 (8.9 %)
ART specialist	70 (16.1 %)
Primary care	1 (0.2 %)
Other	10 (2.3 %)
Total	436 (100%)
What is your practice setting?	
Academic	148 (33.9 %)
Public	70 (16.1 %)
Private	136 (31.2 %)
Multiple	81 (18.6 %)
Other	1 (0.2 %)
Total	436 (100%)
How many years have you been practicing (related to male infertility)?	
Less than 2 years	43 (9.9 %)
2-5 years	90 (20.7 %)
6-10 years	85 (19.6 %)
11-15 years	63 (14.5 %)
More than 15 years	153 (35.3 %)
Total	434 (100%)



On average, how many infertile couples do you manage per week?		
<10	140 (32.6 %)	
11-20	124 (28.8 %)	
21-30	70 (16.3 %)	
31-40	35 (8.1 %)	
41-50	13 (3 %)	
>50	48 (11.2 %)	
Total	430 (100%)	
How many IVF/ICSI full cycles (= oocyte pickup) are performed in one year at your center by		
your entire team?		
<100	65 (15.1 %)	
101-400	99 (23 %)	
401-800	59 (13.7 %)	
>800	72 (16.7 %)	
I refer my IVF/ICSI couples to another center	84 (19.5 %)	
Not applicable	52 (12.1 %)	
Total	431 (100%)	
What is the cost of SDF testing in your area?		
Less than \$50	68 (16 %)	
\$50-100	141 (33.1 %)	
\$100-200	132 (31 %)	
\$200-500	62 (14.6 %)	
\$500-1000	15 (3.5 %)	
More than \$1000	8 (1.9 %)	
Total	426 (100%)	

Abbreviations: ART: assisted reproductive technology; IVF: *in-vitro* fertilization; ICSI: intracytoplasmic sperm injection; SDF: sperm DNA fragmentation.