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Clinical And Communication Challenges Of European And Latin American Embryologists, Nurses, And Laboratory Specialists Involved Infertility Care.

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Objectives:

An international needs-assessment was conducted to identify the key challenges faced by these providers that could be addressed through continuing medical education and professional development activities.

Key Points:

Sub-optimal knowledge and skills were identified in four areas of fertility care. The patient communication challenges identified are aligned with findings from previous qualitative studies. This needs assessment provides improved specificity on the exact knowledge and skill-related challenges that professionals in fertility care experience, which could be addressed through professional development activities.