Clinical Chemistry is pleased to announce an upcoming theme issue, Men’s Health, edited by Drs. Madeline Deutsch, Wolfgang Koenig, Hans Lilja, Jason Park and Elizabeth A. Platz. Clinical Chemistry, published by American Association for Clinical Chemistry, is the most highly cited forum for peer-reviewed, original research in the fields of clinical chemistry and laboratory medicine.

The purpose of this issue is to highlight research specific to men’s health such as advanced paternal age and its implication on fertility and health of offspring and challenges in the diagnosis and management of prostate and testicular cancers. In addition, issues related to transgender people and androgen supplement as well as chronic diseases such as heart disease and metabolic syndrome in men will be addressed.

Potential topics of interest include:

- National and global trends in men’s health
- Advanced paternal age: fertility and fitness of offspring
- Clinical and translational research into biomarkers of male malignancies
- Laboratory medicine for transgender patients
- Implications of androgen supplementation
- Clinical and analytical aspects of prostate specific antigen
- Cardiovascular disease in men: biomarkers, genetics, and epigenetics
- Sexually transmitted diseases in men
- New technologies to improve understanding of men’s health issues: genomics, single cell genomics, metabolomics, epigenomics, microbiome, cell-free DNA, circulating tumor cells, exosomes, breath testing, and artificial intelligence

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Submissions must be received at http://submit.clinchem.org by June 1, 2018. Clinical Chemistry invites authors to submit original articles related to men's health to be considered for publication in this special issue. Journal guidelines for submission apply as described in the Information for Authors.