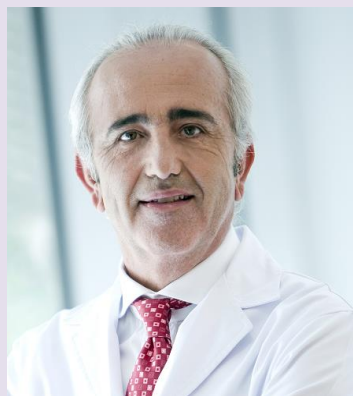


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## *Antonio Pellicer, MD*

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After obtaining his MD degree from the University of Valencia and establishing a distinguished academic career, Professor Pellicer founded the 'Instituto Valenciano de Infertilidad' ('IVI') in 1990, and his work in the field of fertility has led to the creation of many 'IVI' clinics both in Spain and internationally. He is also President of the 'IVI Foundation' for the Study of Reproduction and CEO of IVIRMA GLOBAL.

Professor Pellicer has authored over 338 textbook chapters and more than 900 journal articles in national and international journals, and presented over 568 lectures and over 1455 communications in a congresses. He has been Co-Editor in Chief for the journal 'Fertility and Sterility' since 2011.

Professor Pellicer has won many awards for his contributions to the field of reproductive health. He was awarded the Annual Meeting Prize Paper for the 'American Society for Reproductive Medicine' eight times between 1987 and 2016; the XXV Society for Gynecological Investigation President's Award in 2002; the King Jaime I Prize in Clinical Medicine from the 'King Jaime I Foundation' in 2004; the Gold Medal of the Royal College of Physicians in Valencia in 2006; the Gold Medal of the City of Valencia in 2006; the Rotary Prize in 2007; and the Lilly Foundation Prize in 2008. He is Doctor Honoris Causa by the Polytechnic University of Valencia in 2011; Pro Academy Prize 2013 in Recognition for their Efforts in Science and Academic Life, for The Round Table Foundation of Valencia in 2013; Prize to the Innovation during the edition XVII of the Enterprising prize of the Year organized by Ernst and Young of Madrid in 2013; "Jacques Salat-Baroux" Award from the Academy National of Medicine of France, Paris, France, in 2014; The IVI Spain is appointed Ambassador Honorary of the Spain Marca in the category of Science and Innovation. Madrid, Spain, 2015; "Josep Maria Dexeus Medal" for his trajectory in the reproductive field, in the 43<sup>rd</sup> Edition of Forum International Dexeus. Barcelona, Spain, 2016. Levante of the Year Award granted by Levante-EMV Prensa Ibérica publishing group. Valencia, Spain, 2017. IVI, awarded by the SRI, for a study on ovarian rejuvenation. Valencia, Spain, 2018.