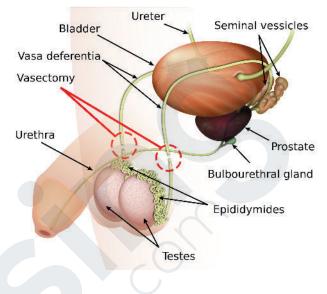
FAMILY PLANNING

Vasectomy

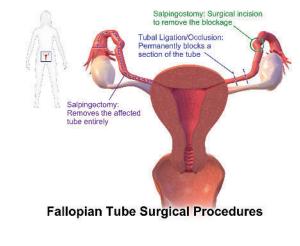
- Procedure to sterilize male patients
- Vas deferens is cauterized to prevent sperm & semen from exiting the urethra
- Takes approximately 3 months before sterility is completed
- Will require follow-ups with provider for sperm count
- Minor surgery (outpatient)



By K. D. Schroeder, CC BY-SA 3.0, https://commons.wikimedia.org/w/index.php?curid=32480137

Tubal Surgery

- Procedure to sterilize female patients
- Also known as "Tubal ligation" or "having tubes tied"
- Fallopian tube is ligated or clamped
- Prevents egg from traveling from the ovary through the fallopian tubes
- Surgery requiring prolonged recovery



By BruceBlaus - Own work, CC BY-SA 4.0, https://commons.wikimedia.org/w/index.php?curid=57761219



NURSING.com - "Tools and Confidence to Succeed in Nursing School." ©2024 TazKai LLC | NURSING.com - Reproduction Strictly Prohibited Disclaimer information at NURSING.com