

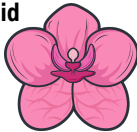





## CONCEPT: MALE REPRODUCTIVE SYSTEM: WORD BUILDING

### Components and Pathology of Male Reproductive System

◆ Combining forms used to form medical terms for the male reproductive system.

Combining Form	Definition	Memory Tool
pen/o phall/o	penis	<b>PEN-IS</b> falling. 
balan/o	_____ penis	<b>balance</b> cap 
orch/o, orchi/o orchid/o	_____	<b>orchid</b> 

Combining Form	Definition	Memory Tool
didym/o	testis	<b>double</b> <b>dumplings</b> 
zo/o	animal, _____	<b>zoo</b> 
phim/o	muzzle, _____ of an orifice	<b>Shut Firmly.</b> 

### EXAMPLE

Fill in the blanks for the following:

- 1) \_\_\_\_\_ spermia: condition in which semen does not contain any living sperm.
- 2) Cryptorchidism: condition in which \_\_\_\_\_ fail to move down into the \_\_\_\_\_ before birth, requiring orchidopexy as treatment.

### PRACTICE

Match each definition with the correct term.

1) Discharge from the glans penis.	
2) Constriction or narrowing of foreskin (prepuce) over the glans penis.	
3) Inflammation from infection of testis and epididymis.	

- a) Stenosis
- b) Balanoplasty
- c) Orchiepididymitis
- d) Phimosis
- e) Orchialgia
- f) Balanorrhea