The Male Reproductive System PowerPoint Notes

The reproductive organs of the human male generate sperm and sexual activity may lead to fertilization and pregnancy.

The male reproductive system produces ________________ and transfers it to the female reproductive system.

Testes
The testes produce sperm and the male hormone, _________________. (A hormone is a ________________ that regulates body functions.) Testosterone regulates the development of male ________________ and the production of sperm (male ________________). The testes are stored in the external ________________. The scrotum is about 3°C ________________ than body temperature (37°C). The cooler temperature allows sperm to ________________. Sperm are ________________ in tightly-coiled tubes inside of the testes called seminiferous tubules. The ________________ temporarily stores mature sperm cells. Each sperm cell has a ________________ for locomotion or movement.
The Path of Sperm
A tube called the ___________________ passes from each epididymis into the body. The ___________________ gland produces some of the fluid that mixes with sperm as it travels through the vas deferens. The mixture of sperm and fluid is called ________________.

Trace the path the sperm takes.

During sexual arousal, millions of sperm travel from the vas deferens, down the ______________, and are ejaculated out of the penis. ________________ is the abrupt discharge of semen. The urethra is a tube that runs through the ________________. The penis is the ______________ that transfers sperm into the female’s body.