

CURRICULUM VITAE



PERSONAL INFORMATION

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WORK EXPERIENCE

1.10.2001-PRESENT - FULL PROFESSOR OF PUBLIC HEALTH
UNIVERSITY OF CAMPANIA "LUIGI VANVITELLI" (FORMERLY SECOND
UNIVERSITY OF NAPLES) - VIALE LINCOLN - CASERTA
1987-2001 - ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR OF PUBLIC HEALTH
SECOND UNIVERSITY OF NAPLES
1984-1987 - ASSISTANT PROFESSOR OF PUBLIC HEALTH
UNIVERSITY OF NAPLES "FEDERICO II"
1982-1984 - VISITING SCHOLAR
UNIVERSITY OF NAPLES "FEDERICO II"

EDUCATION

1978 - DEGREE IN MEDICINE AND SURGERY
1982 - SPECIALIZATION IN HYGIENE, PREVENTIVE MEDICINE AND PUBLIC
HEALTH
1998 - MASTER OF II LEVEL IN "HEALTH MANAGEMENT" AT THE
UNIVERSITY HOSPITAL "FEDERICO II" NAPLES
1999 - COURSE IN "QUALITY OF CLINICAL DOCUMENTATION AND AUDIT"
THE ITALIAN SOCIETY OF QUALITY ASSURANCE

MOTHER TONGUE

ITALIAN

OTHER LANGUAGE

ENGLISH

• Understanding

GOOD

• Writing

GOOD

• Speaking

GOOD

ORGANIZATIONAL/MANAGERIAL

Team work

SKILLS

1.1.2016-PRESENT - DIRECTOR SPECIALIZATION SCHOOL IN HYGIENE AND
PREVENTIVE MEDICINE

2016-PRESENT - RESPONSIBLE SERVICE OF RISK MANAGEMENT
TEACHING UNIVERSITY HOSPITAL "LUIGI VANVITELLI"

2010-2016 - RESPONSIBLE SERVICE OF EPIDEMIOLOGY AND HYGIENE
TEACHING HOSPITAL II UNIVERSITY OF NAPLES

2012-2015 - PRESIDENT DEGREE COURSE OF NURSING SCIENCE
UNIVERSITY OF CAMPANIA "LUIGI VANVITELLI" (FORMERLY SECOND
UNIVERSITY OF NAPLES)

1999-2003 - LECTURER IN THE "MEGARIS" MASTER IN "BUSINESS
ECONOMICS AND MANAGEMENT FOR HUMAN RESOURCE
DEVELOPMENT AND INNOVATION IN HEALTH" AT THE INSTITUTE OF
BUSINESS STUDIES OF THE FACULTY OF ECONOMICS OF THE NAVAL
UNIVERSITY OF NAPLES.

2003-PRESENT - LECTURER AND MEMBER OF THE SCIENTIFIC BOARD OF
THE II LEVEL MASTER "PROGRAMMING, ORGANIZATION AND
MANAGEMENT IN HEALTHCARE" OF THE UNIVERSITY OF NAPLES
"FEDERICO II"

2007-PRESENT - LECTURER AND MEMBER OF THE SCIENTIFIC BOARD OF
THE II LEVEL MASTER "SOCIAL AND HEALTH POLICIES AND SYSTEMS:
ORGANIZATION, MANAGEMENT AND COORDINATION" OF THE
FEDERICO II UNIVERSITY OF NAPLES.

2008-2009 - DIRECTOR OF THE MASTER "TRADITIONAL CHINESE
MEDICINE INTEGRATED WITH WESTERN MEDICINE" OF THE II
UNIVERSITY OF NAPLES.

2001-2003 - PRESIDENT OF THE CAMPANIA REGIONAL SECTION OF THE
ITALIAN SOCIETY OF HEALTH CARE QUALITY (SIQUAS-VRQ)

1987-PRESENT - SEVERAL COURSES AT MEDICAL DEGREE COURSES,
UNDERGRADUATE COURSES IN THE HEALTH PROFESSIONS,

SPECIALIZATION SCHOOLS, I AND II LEVEL MASTER'S DEGREES AT THE
OF THE II UNIVERSITY OF NAPLES AND OTHER UNIVERSITIES

COMPUTER SKILLS

COMPETENT WITH MICROSOFT OFFICE PROGRAMMES AND STATISTICAL
PACKAGES (SPSS)

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LIST OF PUBLICATIONS 2014-2019
BY FRANCESCO ATTENA
ON INTERNATIONAL JOURNALS WITH PEER REVIEW-IF

[Too much medicine? Scientific and ethical issues from a comparison between two conflicting paradigms.](#)

Attenu F.

BMC Public Health. 2019 Jan 22;19(1):97. doi: 10.1186/s12889-019-6442-9.

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BMC Med Ethics. 2019 Jan 7;20(1):1. doi: 10.1186/s12910-018-0340-z.

[Online information about risks and benefits of screening mammography in 10 European countries: An observational Web sites analysis.](#)

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[Post-graduate medical education in public health: the case of Italy and a call for action.](#)

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[Pollen concentrations and prevalence of asthma and allergic rhinitis in Italy: Evidence from the GEIRD study.](#)

Marchetti P, Pesce G, Villani S, Antonicelli L, Ariano R, **Attenu F.** Bono R, Bellisario V, Fois A, Gibelli N, Nicolis M, Olivieri M, Pirina P, Scopano E, Siniscalco C, Verlato G, Marcon A.

Sci Total Environ. 2017 Apr 15;584-585:1093-1099. doi: 10.1016/j.scitotenv.2017.01.168. Epub 2017 Feb 4.

[Can antenatal classes reduce the rate of cesarean section in southern Italy?](#)

Cantone D, Pelullo CP, Cancellieri M, **Attenu F.**

Women Birth. 2017 Apr;30(2):e83-e88. doi: 10.1016/j.wombi.2016.09.004. Epub 2016 Sep 28.

[Lying to patients with dementia: Attitudes versus behaviours in nurses.](#)

Cantone D, **Attenu F.** Cerrone S, Fabozzi A, Rossiello R, Spagnoli L, Pelullo CP.

Nurs Ethics. 2017 Jan 1;969733017739782. doi: 10.1177/0969733017739782. [Epub ahead of print]

[Scarce information about breast cancer screening: An Italian websites analysis.](#)

Attenu F. Cancellieri M, Pelullo CP.

Medicine (Baltimore). 2016 Dec;95(50):e5615.

[Limitations of Western Medicine and Models of Integration Between Medical Systems.](#)

Attenu F.

J Altern Complement Med. 2016 May;22(5):343-8. doi: 10.1089/acm.2015.0381. Epub 2016 Apr 12. Review.

[Is it reasonable to abandon obligatory vaccinations in Italy? a 2013 survey.](#)

Pelullo CP, Marino S, Valdes Abuadili AJ, Signoriello G, **Attenu F.**

Euro Surveill. 2014 Sep 4;19(35). pii: 20889. Erratum in: Euro Surveill. 2014;19(36):pii=20897.

[Socioeconomic inequalities in smoking habits are still increasing in Italy.](#)

Verlato G, Accordini S, Nguyen G, Marchetti P, Cazzoletti L, Ferrari M, Antonicelli L, **Attenu F.** Bellisario V, Bono R, Briziarelli L, Casali L, Corsico AG, Fois A, Panico M, Piccioni P, Pirina P, Villani S,

Nicolini G, de Marco R.

BMC Public Health. 2014 Aug 27;14:879. doi: 10.1186/1471-2458-14-879. Erratum in: [BMC Public Health. 2017 Oct 17;17 \(1\):815.](#)

[Complexity and indeterminism of evidence-based public health: an analytical framework.](#)

Attena F.

Med Health Care Philos. 2014 Aug;17(3):459-65. doi: 10.1007/s11019-014-9554-0.

[The informed consent in Southern Italy does not adequately inform parents about infant vaccination.](#)

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