



CURRICULUM VITAE

PERSONAL INFORMATION

Name

D'Iapico Giovanna

Dates

From 2 November 2020 to date in command

- Name and address of employer

AUO Modena- Policlinico Via Del Pozzo 71

- Type of company or industry

Health

- Type of use

Nurse – permanent employment – full-time

- Main tasks and responsibilities

Tutor at the CDL of Nursing –
Training, Research and Innovation Service

Since February 2021 Member of the scientific committee of the Eir – Health & Global Care series

- Dates

From 4 April 2006 to 2/11/2020

- Name and address of employer

AUSL Modena via S. Giovanni del Cantone n. 43

- Type of company or industry

Health

- Type of use

Nurse – permanent employment – full-time

Nursing activity at the district of Castelfranco Emilia home care palliative care

- Main tasks and responsibilities

From 2017 to 2020 Clinical Tutor in palliative care for the training of new dedicated nurses

Since February 2021 Member of the scientific committee of the Eir – Health & Global Care series

FIRST LANGUAGE OTHER LANGUAGES

**ITALIAN
ENGLISH**

- Reading skills
- Writing skills
- Oral expression skills

Good
Elementary
Elementary

EDUCATION

• Dates	<u>1988</u>
• Name and type of education or training institution	Istituto Magistrale "G.Mazzini" Vittoria
Qualification achieved	Diploma
	<u>1989</u>
	Istituto Magistrale "G.Mazzini" Vittoria
	Supplementary course
Education or training	<u>1989 -2002</u> University of Bologna – Alma Mater Studiorum – Faculty of Medicine and Surgery
Education or training	<u>2002- 2006</u> University of Modena and Reggio Emilia – Faculty of Medicine and Surgery – Bachelor's Degree Course in Nursing
Qualification achieved	Bachelor of Science in Nursing
Date	2013-2015
Education or training	European School of Higher Education Professional Counseling Aspic- Modena
Qualification achieved	Master's Degree in Counseling and Helping Relationship Professional Counselor
Date	September- October 2017
Education or training	Training course of the university hospital Internship Guide
Qualification achieved	Nursing Internship Guide
Date	5 March 2018 to 23 March 2018
Education or training	Internship at the University Clinic of Navarra
Date	8 March 2018 to 10 March 2018
Education or training	Research course "Ethnography and Salud" At the University of Navarra
Date	2018
Education or training	University of Bologna
Qualification achieved	Master in Cure Palliative
Date	2020
Education or training	University of Modena and Reggio Emilia
Qualification achieved	Advanced training course in Narrative Medicine Advanced training course in Clinical Tutorship

Date	2021
Education or training	University of Modena and Reggio Emilia
Qualification achieved	Postgraduate Course Teaching Methodologies for Teaching Medicine with Patient Trainers
Date	MAY 31, 2024
Education or training	Rondine Cittadella della Pace, in collaboration with the University Center for Studies and Research on the Family of the Catholic University of the Sacred Heart
Qualification achieved	Advanced training course for the figure of the class tutor
Date	JUNE 15, 2025
Education or training	MASTER TUTTO È VITA SCHOOL OF HIGHER EDUCATION IN SPIRITUAL ACCOMPANIMENT IN ILLNESS AND DYING
Qualification achieved	Spiritual Accompaniment in Illness and Dying
• Teaching experience	April 2016
As an expert on the subject	Lezione di 2 ore presso il Corso universitario del master "Death studies & the end of life for the intervention of support and the accompanying"
	12 November 2016
	Nursing Degree Course University of Modena, Seminar 4 hours: "Caring with Dignity"
	7 December 2016
	Aspic Venice, school of counseling Seminar 2 hours: "Hope through counseling"
	17 February 2017
	Lecturer at the company refresher course in palliative care Lecture 1 hours: "Assistance to the person and the family during sedation"
	25 February 2017
	Aspic Modena, counseling school 4-hour seminar: "Dignity therapy: one more tool for counselors and for all of us"
	4 December 2017
	Hospice Madonna dell'Uliveto Albinea Seminario 4 ore: "Dignity Therapy"
	18 January 2018
	New Civil Hospital S. Agostino Estense Seminar 4 hours: "Dignity and care. The experience of dignity caring in palliative care"

28 March 2018
University of Padua
Master "End Life"
Training seminar on Dignity Therapy

21 April 2018
University of Modena
CDL Nursing
Seminar 3 hours
"Treating with dignity"

5 November 2018
University of Modena and Reggio Emilia
CDL Nursing
Seminar 3 hours
"Treating with dignity"

13 March 2019
University of Padua
Master "End Life"
Seminar 2 hours
"The care of dignity"

23 March 2019
University of Modena and Reggio Emilia
Nursing Degree Course 3rd year
Seminar 4 hours
"Useful nursing and futile nursing"

25 March 2019
University of Modena and Reggio Emilia
CDL Medicine and Surgery 5th and 6th year
Seminar 3 hours
"Palliative care"

30 November 2019
University of Modena and Reggio Emilia
CDL Nursing 2nd year
Seminar 3 hours
"Treating with Dignity"

May 29, 2020
University of Trento
Department of Sociology and Research
Seminar 3 hours
Dignity Therapy and Palliative Care

May 31, 2021
University of Trento
Department of Sociology and Research
Seminar 3 hours
Dignity Therapy and Palliative Care

June 8, 2021
University of Modena and Reggio Emilia
Nursing Degree Course 3rd year
Residential workshop

Meeting end-of-life needs.....

30 September, 7-8 October 2021

AOU Integrata Verona

Teaching and tutoring 3-day training event

From the care relationship to the therapy of dignity

5-12 November 2021

Modena Local Health Authority

Training course for OsCo operators 6 hours

Bladder catheterization, therapeutic attitude and caring of urinary tract infections

June 10, 2022

SIMG Emilia Romagna Congress

Tutor bladder catheterization simulation laboratory

Laboratory 2 hours

June 21, 2022

University of Modena and Reggio Emilia

CDL Nursing 3rd year

Seminar 5 hours

Caring to the person at the end of life

December 2, 2022

University of Trento

University course "Palliative care, sociology and social work"

Seminar 2 hours

Dignity therapy in palliative care

March 14, 2023

University of Modena and Reggio Emilia

Nursing CDL 3rd year

I will sow 1 hour

Caring for the person at the end of life

March 21, 2023

University of Modena and Reggio Emilia

Nursing CDL 3rd year

I will sow 1 hour

ComuniCare: partnership between the patient and the caregiver

10 June, 15 July and 23 September 2023

University of Modena and Reggio Emilia

CDL Nursing 2nd and 3rd year

Seminar 3 hours

"Deep as the sea, light as the sky: the spiritual need how to ascertain and plan it"

November 10, 2023

University of Trento

Department of Sociology and Social Research

Seminar 2 hours

"The Therapy of Dignity in Palliative Care"

December 5, 2023

AOU Modena

Teacher and Tutor at the Training Course for Health Professionals 4 hours

"Human Caring: Ethics and Loving Kindness in Care and Healthcare"

February 12, 2024

Military Academy and AOU Modena

Speaker at the training event:

"Social identity of health professions in the civil and military spheres; humanization and future challenges"

March 22, 2024

University of Trento

Department of Sociology and Social Research

Speaker at the conference

"The treatment of incurable diseases between pain, dignity and hope: the contribution of palliative care"

June 5, 2024

AOU Modena

Teacher and Tutor at the Training Course for Health Professionals 4 hours

"Human Caring: Ethics and Loving Kindness in Care and Healthcare"

June 15, 2024

University of Modena and Reggio Emilia

CDL Nursing 2nd and 3rd year

Lecturer at the seminar 3 hours

"Places to find well-being: Analgesic therapy hub and hospice of Castelfranco Emilia"

June 29, 2024

University of Modena and Reggio Emilia

CDL Nursing 2nd and 3rd year

Lecturer at the seminar 3 hours

"Deep as the sea, light as the sky: the spiritual need how to ascertain and plan it"

November 2017

University of Padua

- Dissertation
Co-supervisor

Master's Degree Thesis in Clinical Psychology

Title: **"The therapy of dignity and the fundamental values it discloses. Towards an integrated perspective between Chochinov's dignity therapy and Schwartz's theory of values"**

Supervisor: Prof. Ines Testoni

Co-supervisor: G. D'Iapico

Laurenda. Gaia Luisa Marinoni

November 2018

University of Modena and Reggio Emilia

Nursing Thesis

Title: **"Dignity caring within nursing care for the person at the end of life. Presentation of a case report: integration with the generative document"**

Speaker: Dr. Maria Cristina Bigliardi

Co-supervisor: Giovanna D'Iapico

Student: Sofia Franceschini

April 2019

University of Modena and Reggio Emilia

Nursing Dissertation

Title: **"Caring for Carers:**

Nursing care for the caregiver of a cancer patient"

Speaker: Dr. Pellacani Paola

Co-supervisor: Maria Cristina Bigliardi

D'Iapico Giovanna

Student: Scarano Sara

March 2020

University of Modena and Reggio Emilia

Nursing Dissertation

Title: ""A family caregiver decision guide": a nursing tool to prevent the risk of tension in the role of caregiver"

Speaker: Dr. Maria Cristina Bigliardi

Co-supervisor: Giovanna D'Iapico

Student: Alice Ferrari

November 2021

University of Modena and Reggio Emilia

Nursing Dissertation

Title: Family Conference in palliative care: an essential tool in the shared care pathway

Speaker: Dr. Patrizia Laffi

Co-supervisor: Giovanna D'Iapico

Student: Anna Cecchi

November 2021

University of Modena and Reggio Emilia

Nursing Dissertation

Title: Home care, school and networking: a case report on the nursing perspective between care and education

Speaker: Dr. D'Antone Alessandro

Co-supervisor: Giovanna D'Iapico

Student: Merighi Alessia

April 2022

University of Modena and Reggio Emilia

Nursing Dissertation

Title: The nurse in palliative care.

The focus group as an investigative tool in the helping relationship.

Speaker: Dr. Laffi Patrizia

Co-supervisor: Giovanna D'Iapico

Student: Losito Marilena

April 2022

University of Modena and Reggio Emilia

Nursing Dissertation

Title: Terminal Stage of Life: From Management of Refractory Symptoms to Sedation

Speaker: Dr. Monti Cinzia

Co-supervisor: Giovanna D'Iapico

Student: Guidetti Alessandro

November 2022

University of Modena and Reggio Emilia

Nursing Dissertation

Title: Quality of life at the end of life: retrospective study quantitative-qualitative on the IPOS validated scale applied to the Accompaniment path in Hospice

Speaker: Dr. Patrizia Laffi

Co-supervisor: Giovanna D'Iapico

Student: Francesca Costi Tall

November 2022

University of Modena and Reggio Emilia

Nursing Dissertation

Title: Cultural barriers in breast cancer prevention: case report

Supervisor: prof. Rovesti Sergio

Co-supervisor: Giovanna D'Iapico

Student: Elena Castellari

November 2022

University of Modena and Reggio Emilia

Nursing Dissertation

Title: Nursing management to the person with chronic pain and analgesic dependence

Speaker: Dr. Fabiola Cerullo

Co-supervisor: Giovanna D'Iapico

Studente: Aouamria Donia

April 2023

University of Modena and Reggio Emilia

Nursing Dissertation

Title: The Nurse and the Assessment of Spiritual Need within the Hospice through the experience of the focus group

Speaker: Dr. Patrizia Laffi

Co-supervisor: Giovanna D'Iapico

Student: Alessia Oliviero

November 2023

University of Modena and Reggio Emilia

Nursing Thesis

Title: Spiritual nursing care in the person in Palliative Care. Exploratory investigation on the meaning of spirituality and educational need

Speaker: Patrizia Laffi

Co-supervisor: Giovanna D'Iapico

Student: Francesco Bussei

November 2023

University of Modena and Reggio Emilia

Nursing Thesis

Title: Augmentative and alternative communication as a tool for the relationship between nurse and patient affected by Amyotrophic Lateral Sclerosis. Analyzing a case report.

Speaker: Patrizia Laffi

Co-supervisor: Giovanna D'Iapico

Student: Carolina Romano

November 2023

University of Modena and Reggio Emilia

Nursing Thesis

Title: Pediatric Palliative Care at home: analysis of a case report. Focus group on the experience of health professionals

Speaker: Patrizia Laffi

Co-supervisor: Giovanna D'Iapico

Student: Caterina Mercati

November 2023

University of Modena and Reggio Emilia

Nursing Thesis

Title: Nursing management of the person with a limb amputation

Speaker: Giuseppe Porcellini

Co-supervisor: Giovanna D'Iapico

Student: Amel Belkhir

November 2024

University of Modena and Reggio Emilia

Degree thesis in Nursing

Title: Kindness in the care relationship in the context of territorial nursing care. Exploratory investigation through a questionnaire.

Supervisor: Patrizia Laffi

Co-supervisor: Giovanna D'Iapico

Student: Beatrice Bursi

November 2024

University of Modena and Reggio Emilia

Degree thesis in Nursing

Title: Gratitude and its effects on nurses: exploratory investigation through a focus group and narratives

Supervisor: Francesca Benuzzi

Co-supervisor: Giovanna D'Iapico

Student: Giorgia Stanzani

November 2024

University of Modena and Reggio Emilia

Degree thesis in Nursing

Title: Maintaining hope in oncology patients through nursing care. Case report

Supervisor: Laffi Patrizia

Co-supervisor: D'Iapico Giovanna

Student: Djeudjou Nedjou Maeva Stella

April 2025

University of Modena and Reggio Emilia

Degree thesis in Nursing

Title: Nursing management of the parent caregiver with a child with chronic disease

Supervisor: Ottani Alessandra

Co-supervisor: D'Iapico Giovanna

Student: Ben Hadji Ali Oumaima

April 2025

University of Modena and Reggio Emilia

Degree thesis in Nursing

Title: Assistance in palliative care: an information leaflet

Supervisor: Ferruccio De Pieri Rizzelli

Co-supervisor: Giovanna D'Iapico

Student: Asia Ricco

ARTICLES, BOOKS,
POSTERS, ORAL
PRESENTATIONS

Articles :

Titolo: "Dignity as Wisdom at the End of Life: Sacrifice as Value Emerging from a Qualitative Analysis of Generativity Documents"

Authors: Testoni I., Bingaman K. A., D'Iapico G., Marinoni G. L., Zamperini A., Grassi L., Vacondio P.

Published in: *Pastoral Psychology*, 1-11 on 29/04/2019

Books

Title: **"Dignity Therapy Words for the Time That Remains"**

Authors: Harvey Max Chochinov

Publisher: scientific thought

Place and year of publication: Rome December 2015

I was mentioned in Prof. Chochinov's presentation

Title: **Beyond the end of life: the therapy of dignity in palliative care**

Chapter 3: "Dignity at the end of life"

Authors: Cristina Lonardi, Giovanna D'Iapico

Chapter 8: "Mirca's Dignity Therapy"

Authors: Giovanna D'Iapico

Edited by Elena Bonamini, Annamaria Perino

Publisher: Tangram Scientific Editions

Place and year of publication: October 2017, printed in EU

Titolo: **The Role of family physicians in older people care**

Capitolo 23: An Introduction to Dignity Therapy

Authors: D'Iapico Giovanna

Curated by Jacopo Demurtas and Nicola Veronesi

Publisher: Springer Nature

Springer Nature Switzerland AG 2022

Poster

Title: **"The Canadian maple leaf"**

Authors: D'Iapico Giovanna

Title of the conference: 4th Reico National Conference "Many leaves, one tree – uniting in diversity"

Place and date of the conference: Naples 3/4 June 2016

Title: **"Stories of conversations and reflections on death"**

Authors: D'Iapico Giovanna

Title of the conference: "XXIII National Congress of the Italian Society of Palliative Care"

Place and date of the conference: Rome, 16/19 November 2016

Title: **"Accompanying with awareness"**

Authors: Giovanna D'Iapico

Title of the conference: "XXIII National Congress of the Italian Society of Palliative Care"

Place and date of the conference: Rome, 16/19 November 2016

Title: **"Dignity Caring or caring with dignity"**

Authors: Cremonini Barbara, D'Iapico Giovanna, Luca Liliana

Title of the conference: "National Congress of the Italian Society of Palliative Care"

Place and date of the conference: Riccione, 15/17 November 2018

Title: **"Dignity caring and creation of the generative document: "A life in two sheets" "**

Authors: G. D'Iapico, S. Franceschini, M.C. Bigliardi, P. Ferri

Title of the conference: "National Congress of the Italian Society of Palliative Care"

Place and date of the conference: Riccione, 14/16 November 2019

Title: **"Caring for caregivers: a case report"**

Authors: S.Scarano, P.Pellacani, M.C. Bigliardi, G.D'Iapico, P.Ferri
Title of the conference: "National Congress of the Italian Society of Palliative Care"
Place and date of the conference: Riccione, 14/16 November 2019

Title: **"Use of the focus group: an investigation tool to identify communication strategies and management of nurse emotions in palliative care"**

Authors: P. Laffi, G. D'Iapico, M. Losito, P. Ferri
Title of the conference: "National Congress of the Italian Society of Palliative Care"
Place and date of the conference: Riccione, 17/19 November 2023

Title: **"The attitude to the centrality of the patient in training with the patient trainer: a quasi-experimental study"**

Authors: S. Alberti, G. D'Iapico, P.Volpi, M.C: Bigliardi, E. Borellini, D. Canale, P. Ferri
Title of the conference: "SIPEM National Congress"
Place and date of the conference: Turin, 26/28 October 2023

Title: **"The nurse and the assessment of spiritual need within the Hospice: a survey with the focus group."**

Authors: P. Laffi, G. D'Iapico, A.Oliviero, P. Ferri
Title of the conference: "National Congress of the Italian Society of Palliative Care"
Place and date of the conference: Riccione, 16/18 November 2023

Oral presentations

Title: **"Counseling and the dignity of the person with a limited prognosis"**

Authors: D'Iapico Giovanna
Title of the congress: "Counselling and guidance in Italy and Europe"
Place and date of the congress: School of Psychology Padua, 2/3 October 2015

Title: **"First of all the dignity of the person, palliative care: how, where, when and why. A supportive experience for people with limited prognosis"**

Authors: Tempestini Carlo, D'Iapico Giovanna
Title of the event: "Fragility and illness: the limit transformed into wealth"
Place and date of the congress: loc. Burchio- Figline Incisa Valdarno (Fi) 2 October 2016

Title: **"The role of the nurse in the care of the last stages of life"**

Authors: G. D'Iapico
Title of the event: "Modena Meetings of Internal Medicine"
Place and date of the congress: Aula Magna, Policlinico, Modena 16 September 2017

Title: **"A light in the night! Resilience and dignity"**

Authors: Giovanna D'Iapico and Massimiliano Cruciani
Title of the event: "Identity Agonies. Agonies of Identity: Living by Dying"
Place and date of the congress: University of Padua, Aula Magna Vallisneri 2/4 November 2017

Title: **"Counseling, dignity and palliative care"**

Author: G. D'Iapico

Title of the event: "Identity Agonies. Agonies of Identity: Living by Dying"

Place and date of the congress: University of Padua, Aula Magna Vallisneri 2/4 November 2017

Title: **"Resilience and dignity in palliative care"**

Author: G. D'Iapico

Title of the event: XXIV SICP National Congress "The value of choices"

Riccione 15/18 November 2017

Title: **"The Generative Document: The Nurse's Experience"**

Authors: Giovanna D'Iapico and Francesca Nunziante

Title of the event: "Dignity-in-care and care paths in dignity: Italian experiences"

Place and date: Ferrara Auditorium –Santa Lucia- Rectorate 22 September 2018

ORGANIZATIONAL SKILLS AND COMPETENCIES

- Experience as a home nurse at the territorial service of the district of Castelfranco Emilia. From 2014 to date she has been an expert nurse in palliative and end-of-life care.
- I participated in the working group for a company document of the Modena Ausl on palliative care in the CRA
- I participated in a regional working group of the Sicp with Annamaria Marzi on the scales for evaluating the quality of life of the patient in palliative care
- I participated in a working group of the Modena Ausl for the training and updating of professionals in palliative care
- I am in the NIDI group for the diffusion of Dignity in care together with prof. Grassi, dr. Moretto and Prof. Ines Testoni
- I collaborated with prof. Ines Testoni for a research project on Dignity Therapy
- I have activated and directed a parish library in Castelfranco Emilia Noah's Ark for about 4 years with storytelling and dramatization activities for children

ARTISTIC SKILLS AND COMPETENCIES

I like reading, writing poems and stories, organizing activities for children

"I authorize the processing of my personal data present in the CV pursuant to art. 13 of Legislative Decree no. 196 of 30 June 2003 "Personal Data Protection Code" and art. 13 of the GDPR (EU Regulation 2016/679)

Date: 20/7/2026

Signature:

G. D'Iapico