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Degree in Medicine (1989), postgraduate in Internal Medicine (1994, University of Bari Medical School, Italy). Consultant (Internal Medicine) at the Dept. of Internal Medicine, Hospital of Bisceglie (ASL BAT, Italy). Research activities in various biomedical fields (internal medicine, gastroenterology, metabolism, epidemiology, diseases of environmental origin). Reviewer for international scientific journals. He published papers on international and national journals, books, book chapters. He is currently involved in the activities of ISDE Italy as regional coordinator for the Apulia Region and as coordinator of the national scientific committee. He participated on behalf of ISDE Italy in several activities of advocacy at regional and national level.

### Skills & Activities

*Skills* Environmental Health, Metabolic Diseases, Bile, Disorders of Environmental Origin, Gastrointestinal Motility, Epidemiology, Internal Medicine

*Languages* Italian, English

*Scientific Memberships* International Society of Doctors for Environment (ISDE)

### Main Publications in International Journals in the field of Environmental Health

Agostino Di Ciaula, Valerio Gennaro: [*Possible health risks for asbestos in drinking water*]. *Epidemiologia e Prevenzione* 40(6)/2016; DOI: 10.19191/EP16.6.P472.129

Agostino Di Ciaula: *Increased deaths from gastric cancer in communities living close to waste landfills*. *International Journal of Environmental Health Research* 11/2015; DOI:10.1080/09603123.2015.1109069

Agostino Di Ciaula: *Type I diabetes in paediatric age in Apulia (Italy): Incidence and associations with outdoor air pollutants*. *Diabetes research and clinical practice* 11/2015; DOI:10.1016/j.diabres.2015.10.016

Agostino Di Ciaula, Carlo Romagnoli, Ruggero Ridolfi: *SENTIERI studies: scientific evidence and lack of use for prevention*. *Epidemiologia e prevenzione* 03/2015; 39(2):134-6.

Agostino Di Ciaula, Massimo Bilancia: *Relationships between mild PM10 and ozone urban air levels and spontaneous abortion: Clues for primary prevention*. *International Journal of Environmental Health Research* 01/2015; 25(6):1-16. DOI:10.1080/09603123.2014.1003041

Agostino Di Ciaula, Piero Portincasa: *Fat, epigenome and pancreatic diseases. Interplay and common pathways from a toxic and obesogenic environment.* European Journal of Internal Medicine 12/2014; 25(10):865-873. DOI:10.1016/j.ejim.2014.10.012

Agostino Di Ciaula: *Association between air pollutant emissions and Type 1 diabetes incidence in European Countries.* 07/2014; 2(7):409-425. DOI:10.9734/AIR/2014/10071

Maurizio Portaluri, Giuseppe Latini, Valerio Gennaro, Patrizia Gentilini, Agostino Di Ciaula: *[SENTIERI Project on Italian polluted sites: health in Brindisi].* Epidemiologia e Prevenzione 07/2013; 37(2-3):180-184.

Agostino Di Ciaula: *Emergency visits and hospital admissions in aged people living close to a gas-fired power plant.* European Journal of Internal Medicine 03/2012; 23(2):e53-8. DOI:10.1016/j.ejim.2011.09.013