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Nationality Italian

Date of birth 10.06.1962

Gender Male

Occupational field Public Health and Epidemiology

Work experience

Dates	
Since 1990	Lecture (Public Health and Epidemiology) at the Faculty of Medicine, "Sapienza" University of Rome Expert on "Medical Waste" for the Italian Ministry of Public Health Expert on "Steam sterilizers" for the Italian Standardization Committee
Since 2001	Associate Professor (Public Health and Epidemiology) at the Faculty of Medicine, "Sapienza" University of Rome
Since 2005	Dean of the Nurse teaching school at the hospital S. Giovanni - "Sapienza" University of Rome
Since 1991	MD at the "Hospital Hygiene Unit" of the teaching hospital Umberto I in Rome since 1991
Since 2001	Member of the Infection Control Committee of the teaching hospital Umberto I in Rome since 2001

Main activities and responsibilities Professor of epidemiology and public health at 5th year of Faculty of Medicine and Surgery
Professor of epidemiology and public health at 2nd year of Nursing Course
Professor of epidemiology and public health at Postgraduate School of Specialization in Hygiene and Preventive Medicine
MD at the "Hospital Hygiene Unit" of the teaching hospital Umberto I in Rome
Responsible of the "Epidemiology Healthcare Associated Infections unit" of the Teaching Hospital Umberto I in Rome, Italy

Name and address of employer Sapienza Università di Roma, Piazzale Aldo Moro 5, 00185 Roma, Italy

Sector

Education and training

1987 Degree in Medicine and Surgery in 1987 *cum laude* and distinction for the thesis at the School of Medicine, University of Rome "La Sapienza", Italy
 1988 Full Italian Medical Council Registration
 1991 Postgraduate specialization in Hygiene and Preventive Medicine
 1994-1997 Attended for periods of study at the Department of Public Health & Epidemiology, King's College School of Medicine and Dentistry in London
 2014 National scientific habilitation (Abilitazione Scientifica Nazionale – Igiene generale ed applicata)

Title of qualification awarded
 Name and type of organisation providing education and training

Member of the Hospital Infection Society (HIS)
 Member of the Società italiana di Igiene
 Associate Editor of BMC Infectious Diseases
 Board member of Annali di Igiene
 Board member of Healthcare Infection (Australian Infection Control Association).

Personal skills and competences

Teaching activities
 Dean of undergraduate Nursing School
 Degree Course in Medicine and Surgery
 Postgraduate School specialization in Hygiene and Preventive Medicine
 Healthcare associated infections and multidrug resistant microorganisms surveillance

Scientific activities
 The main line of research is focused on the study of healthcare associated infections, multidrug resistant microorganisms, infection control and surveillance. GB Orsi was mainly involved in research concerning: multidrug resistant microorganisms epidemiology, intensive care units surveillance, hospital outbreaks, healthcare associated infection costs, endoscopy disinfection, medical waste, legionellosis, sterilization, dialysis.

Mother tongue(s)

Specify mother tongue
Italian and English

Other language(s)

Self-assessment
 European level (*)

Language - Italian
Language - English

Understanding		Speaking		Writing	
Listening	Reading	Spoken interaction	Spoken production		
C2	C2	C2	C2	C2	
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(*) [Common European Framework of Reference for Languages](http://www.cedefop.europa.eu)

Additional information

Receiving

Include here any other information that may be relevant, for example contact persons, references, etc.

Scientific Publication (max 30)

- n.1) Belvisi V, Orsi GB, Del Borgo C, Fabietti P, Ianari A, Albertoni F, Porcelli P, Potenza C, Mastroianni CM. Large nosocomial outbreak associated with a Norwegian scabies index case undergoing TNF- α inhibitor treatment: management and control. *Infect Control Hosp Epidemiol* 2015; 36 (11): 1358-1360. Impact Factor 2014: 4.175
- n.2) Orsi GB, Natale F, d'Ettorre G, Protano C, Vullo V, De Curtis M. Mobile phones microbial contamination in neonatal unit healthcare workers. *Infect Control Hosp Epidemiol* 2015; 36 (4): 487-489. Impact Factor 2014: 4.175
- n.3) Orsi GB, Giuliano S, Franchi C, Ciorba V, Protano C, Giordano A, Rocco M, Venditti M. Changing epidemiology of bloodstream infection pathogens over 12 years in the intensive care unit of an Italian teaching hospital. *Minerva Anestesiologica* 2015; 81 (9): 980-988. Impact Factor 2014: 2.134.
- n.4) Agodi A, Auxilia F, Brusaferrò S, Chiesa R, D'Alessandro D, D'Errico MM, Finzi G, Meledandri M, Mongardi M, Montagna MT, Mura I, Orsi GB, Pasquarella C, Signorelli C, Zarrilli R and GISIO-Siti. Education and training in patient safety and prevention and control of healthcare associated infections. *Epidemiol Prev* 2014; 38 (6) Suppl 2: 153-157. Impact Factor 2014: 0.776
- n.5) Montagna MT, Napoli C, Tafuri S, Agodi A, Auxilia F, Casini B, Coscia MF, D'Errico MM, Ferrante M, Fortunato A, Germinario C, Martinelli D, Giuseppe Masanotti GM, Massenti MF, Messina G, Montuori P, Mura I, Orsi GB, Quaranta A, Sotgiu G, Stefanati A, Tardivo S, Torregrossa MV, Tortorano AM, Veronesi L, Zarrilli R and Pasquarella C. Knowledge of undergraduate healthcare students about tuberculosis in 15 Italian universities. *BMC Public Health* 2014; 14: 970. Impact Factor 2014: 2.264
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- n.7) Orsi GB, Vitali M, Marinelli L, Ciorba V, Tufi D, Del Cimmuto A, Ursillo P, Fabiani M, De Santis S, Protano C, Marzuillo C, De Giusti M. Legionella control in the water system of antiquated hospital buildings by shock and continuous hyperchlorination: 5 years experience. *BMC Infect Dis* 2014; 14: 394. Impact Factor 2014: 2.618
- n.8) Orsi GB, Venditti M. Carbapenem-resistant *Klebsiella pneumoniae* transmission associated to endoscopy. *Am J Infect Control* 2013; 41: 849-850. Impact Factor 2014: 2.618
- n.9) Orsi GB, Bencardino A, Vena A, Carattoli A, Venditti C, Falcone M, Giordano A, Venditti M. Patient risk factors for outer membrane permeability and *KPC* producing carbapenem-resistant *Klebsiella pneumoniae* isolation: results of a double case-control study. *Infection* 2013; 41 (1): 61-67. Impact Factor 2014: 2.618
- 10) Orsi GB, Falcone M, Venditti C. Surveillance and management of multi-drug resistant microorganisms. *Expert Rev Anti Infect Ther* 2011; 9 (8): 653-679. Impact Factor 2014: 3.461
- 11) Orsi GB, García-Fernández A, Giordano A, Venditti C, Bencardino A, Gianfreda R, Falcone M, Carattoli A, Venditti M. Risk factors and clinical significance of endemic ertapenem resistant *Klebsiella pneumoniae* isolates in hospitalized patients. *J Hosp Infect* 2011; 78: 54-58. Impact Factor 2014: 2.544
- n.12) D'Agostino C, Scorzoloni L, Massetti AP, Carnevalini M, d'Ettorre G, Venditti M, Vullo V, Orsi GB. Seven years prospective study on spondylodiscitis: epidemiological and microbiological features. *Infection* 2010; 38 (2): 102-107. Impact Factor 2014: 2.618

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- n.14) Orsi GB, d'Ettorre G, Panero A, Chiarini F, Vullo V, Venditti M. Hospital acquired infection surveillance in a neonatal intensive care unit. *Am J Infect Control* 2009; 37(3): 201-203. Impact Factor 2014: 2.206
- n.15) Orsi GB, Mastroianni CM, Giordano A, Monaco M, Venditti M. Lack of Community-associated methicillin-resistant *Staphylococcus aureus* in Rome. *J Hosp Infect* 2009; 71(4): 374-376. Impact Factor 2014: 2.544
- n. 16) Orsi GB, Franchi C, Giordano A, Rocco M, Ferraro F, Mancini C, Venditti M. Multidrug resistant *Acinetobacter baumannii* in an Intensive Care Unit. *J Chemother* 2008; 20: 219-224 Impact Factor 2014: 1.604
- n.17) Mastromarino P, Cattaruzza MS, Orsi GB. *Helicobacter pylori* infection among healthcare workers: further investigation is needed. *J Hosp Infect* 2007; 66: 297-298. Impact Factor 2014: 2.544
- n.18) Orsi GB, Villari P, Mondillo V, Fabiani M, Marzuillo C, Penni A, Venditti M. A plasma expander related *Pseudomonas aeruginosa* outbreak. *Scand J Infect Dis* 2006; 38 (11-12): 1085-1088. Impact Factor 2014: 1.495
- n.19) Orsi GB, Scorzoloni L, Franchi C, Mondillo V, Rosa G, Venditti M. Hospital acquired infection surveillance in a neurosurgical intensive care unit. *J Hosp Infect* 2006; 64: 23-29. Impact Factor 2014: 2.544
- n.20) Orsi GB, Fara GM. A controversial necrotizing enterocolitis outbreak in a neonatal unit. *Epidemiology & Infection* 2005; 133 (6): 1143-1146. Impact Factor 2014: 2.535
- n.21) Mastromarino P, Conti C, Donato K, Strappini PM, Cattaruzza MS, Orsi GB. Does hospital work constitute a risk factor for *Helicobacter pylori* infection? *J Hosp Infect* 2005; 60: 261-268. Impact Factor 2014: 2.544
- n.22) Orsi GB, Raponi M, Franchi C, Rocco M, Mancini C, Venditti M. Surveillance and infection control in an intensive care unit. *Infect Control Hosp Epidemiol* 2005; 26: 321-325. Impact Factor 2014: 4.175
- n.23) Conte MP, Venditti M, Chiarini F, d'Ettorre G, Zamboni I, Scoarughi GL, Gallinelli C, Orsi GB. Extended spectrum beta lactamase producing *Klebsiella pneumoniae* outbreaks during a 3rd generation cephalosporin restriction policy. *J Chemother* 2005; 17 (1): 66-73. Impact Factor 2014: 1.604
- n.24) Orsi GB, Di Stefano L, Noah ND. Hospital-acquired, laboratory confirmed bloodstream infection: Increased hospital stay and direct costs. *Infect Control Hosp Epidemiol* 2002; 23 (4): 190-197. Impact Factor 2014: 4.175
- n.25) Orsi GB, Aureli P, Cassone A, Venditti M, Fara GM. Post-surgical *Bacillus cereus* endophthalmitis outbreak. *J Hosp Infect* 1999; 42: 250-2. Impact Factor 2014: 2.544
- n.26) Orsi GB, Fara GM. Errors in radiology and pathology. *Lancet* 1999; 354: 1560-1. Impact Factor 2014: 45.217
- n.27) Orsi GB, Filocamo A, Di Stefano L, Tittobello A. Italian national survey of digestive endoscopy disinfection procedures. *Endoscopy* 1997; 29: 732-40. Impact Factor 2014: 5.053

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- n. 29) Orsi GB, Tomao P, Visca P. In vitro activity of commercially manufactured disinfectants against *Pseudomonas aeruginosa*. *European Journal of Epidemiology* 1995; 11: 453-7. Impact Factor 2014: 5.339
- n. 30) Orsi GB, Mansi A, Tomao P, Chiarini F, Visca P. Lack of association of clinical and environmental isolates of *Pseudomonas aeruginosa* in hospital wards. *J Hosp Infect* 1994; 27: 49-60. Impact Factor 2014: 2.544