

# **CURRICULUM VITAE**

## **Prof. Anna Teresa Palamara**

### **POSIZIONE ATTUALE:**

2003 - oggi

Professore Ordinario di Microbiologia e Microbiologia Clinica presso l'Università di Roma “Sapienza” (Facoltà di Farmacia (2003-2010) e Farmacia e Medicina (2010-oggi)).

2005 - oggi

Membro della Direzione Scientifica dell'Istituto Pasteur Italia - Fondazione Cenci Bolognetti”.

2010 - oggi

Coordinatore della Sezione di Microbiologia del Dipartimento di Sanità Pubblica e Malattie Infettive della “Sapienza” Università di Roma.

2013 - oggi

Presidente eletto della Società Italiana di Microbiologia (SIM).

2014 - 2018

Presidente Sezione III del Consiglio Superiore di Sanità.

### **FORMAZIONE:**

1982 Laurea con lode in Medicina e Chirurgia presso l'Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore, Roma.

1985 - 1997 Funzionario tecnico presso la Cattedra di Microbiologia, Dipartimento di Medicina Sperimentale e Scienze Biochimiche della Facoltà di Medicina e Chirurgia dell'Università di Roma “Tor Vergata”.

1998 - 2001 Professore Associato di Microbiologia e Microbiologia Clinica presso la Facoltà di Medicina e Chirurgia dell'Università di Napoli “Federico II”.

2001 - 2003 Professore Associato di Microbiologia presso la Facoltà di Farmacia della “Sapienza” Università di Roma.

### **ATTIVITA' SCIENTIFICA**

L'attività di ricerca è principalmente incentrata sulle seguenti tematiche:

- Studio delle interazioni virus-cellula ospite, con particolare riguardo alla identificazione di fattori intracellulari coinvolti nel controllo della replicazione virale e della risposta infiammatoria;
- Caratterizzazione del ruolo di agenti microbici nella patogenesi di malattie cronico-degenerative;
- Identificazione e caratterizzazione di nuovi composti naturali e di sintesi ad attività antivirale;
- Studio delle relazioni tra microrganismi diversi nella patogenesi delle infezioni miste.

Responsabile scientifico di numerosi programmi di ricerca finanziati da Istituzioni pubbliche e private tra questi, di particolare rilevanza:

- Progetto di Ricerca di Interesse Nazionale (PRIN) 2015: "Persistent and latent viral infections: mechanisms controlling viral reactivation/replication and chronic/degenerative damages".
- Programma Operativo Nazionale (PON) 2011: "Sviluppo di molecole capaci di modulare vie metaboliche intracellulari redox-sensibili per la prevenzione e la cura di patologie infettive, tumorali, neurodegenerative e loro delivery mediante piattaforme nano tecnologiche".

Il gruppo di ricerca diretto dalla prof. Palamara ha stabilito numerose collaborazioni con prestigiosi gruppi nazionali ed internazionali. Nell'ambito di tali collaborazioni la prof. Palamara è stata invitata nel 2003, in qualità di Visiting Professor, presso la Divisione di Infectious Diseases dell'Università della California in Berkeley.

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## **PRINCIPALI PUBBLICAZIONI DEGLI ULTIMI 10 ANNI:**

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