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2. Higher Education

Period of study	Name of Institution and Department	Degree
1975-1978	Tel-Aviv University; Faculty of Life Science	B.Sc. with Honors
1978-1984	Tel-Aviv University; Faculty of Life Science	Ph.D. (special program direct to Ph.D.)
1985-1986	Tel Aviv University, Biochemistry Department	Research Assistant (Postdoctoral)
1986-1987	Michigan State University, Department of Biochemistry	Research Assistant (Postdoctoral)
1991-1993	Hebrew University Jerusalem, School of Medicine, School of Public Health	Master in Public Health

3. Academic Ranks and Tenure in Institutes of Higher Education

Dates	Name of Institution & Department	Rank/Position
1998-1999	University of Haifa, Faculty of Social Welfare & Health Sciences, Department of nursing	Proposed Rank- Lecturer (half time)
1999-2001	University of Haifa, Faculty of Social Welfare & Health Sciences, Department of nursing	Proposed Rank- Lecturer (full time)
2001-2003	University of Haifa, Faculty of Social Welfare & Health Sciences, Department of Nursing	Lecturer
2003-2005	University of Haifa, Faculty of Social Welfare & Health Sciences, School of Public Health	Lecturer
2005-2010	University of Haifa, Faculty of Social Welfare & Health Sciences, School of Public Health	Senior Lecturer (with tenure)
2008	Sabbatical at the School of Public Health, University of California, Berkeley	Visiting Scholar
2010-2015	University of Haifa, Faculty of Social Welfare & Health Sciences, School of Public Health	Associate Professor
2013-2014	Sabbatical at San Diego State University, School of Public Health, Center of Behavioral Epidemiology and Community Health.	Visiting Scholar
2015 May	University of Haifa, Faculty of Social Welfare & Health Sciences, School of Public Health	Full Professor

9. Research Grants last ten years

a. Grants Awarded

Role	Other Researchers	Topic	Funded by	Amount NIS	Year
PI	-	Evaluation of the "Ogen LaHaim" project	Drug and alcohol national authority	120,000	2011-2013
PI	-	Characterization of the social and personal factors associated with alcohol drinking, and planning and evaluating an intervention program to reduce binge drinking, among adolescents, 7 th to 12 th grade students, who are members in the Israel scouts youth movement	Drug and alcohol national authority	250,000	2012-2015
PI	-	Evaluation of an intervention for 5 th and 6 th grade children "big kids don't drink".	Drug and alcohol national authority	126,000	2012-2014
PI	Giora Kaplan, Anthony Heymann Co-PIs	Negative social support among diabetic patients	Macabbi Research Institute.	100,000	2012-2013
PI	Pnina Plaute, PI Ronit Endevelt PI	Obesogenic Environments and adolescent obesity: Identifying environmental factors related to childhood obesity	ISF -Israel Science Foundation.	500,000	2012-2016
PI	Shmuel Rishpon Co PI	Barriers and enhancing factors effecting decisions of parents to vaccinate their children in Tel Aviv and in district of Haifa	The National Institute for Health Policy	155,000	2012-2015

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PI	Meir Pugatch, Giora Kaplan, Baruch Velan Co PIs	Making choices regarding vaccinations	Forum Pfizer for Health Policy-	10,000	2012-2013
PI	Shalhevet Zur, Wafa Elias Co PIs	Participatory research and intervention to reduce road accidents in Arab towns	Ran Naor Foundation	125,000	2012-2014
PI	Ronit Endevelt, Mohamad Hatib, Yossi Harel-Fish Co PIs	Educating for a healthy lifestyle in schools	The Ministry of Education-	200,000	2012-2014
PI	Pnina Plaute, Ronit Endevelt PIs	Inequalities in health promoting environments: physical activity and diet	ISF -Israel Science Foundation workshop	70,000	2013-2014 June 2015
Co PI	Efrat Neter Ruppin Academic Center- PI	eHealth information access: health literacy, eHealth literacy, and the use of social networks among ethnic and social-economic groups in Israel.	Ministry of Science and Technology	300,000	2014-2017
Co PI	Manfred Green PI	ASSET: Action Plan On Science In Society In Epidemics And Total Pandemics	European Commission – FP7-Science in Society	total 3,939,880 €, University of Haifas Part 216,889 €	2014-2018
PI		Evaluation of Reach out and Read- reading for infants	Maccabi Healthcare Services	40,000	2014-2015
PI		Evaluation of a workplace intervention to decrease alcohol and drug abuse	Drug and Alcohol National Authority-	70,000	2015-2017

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PI	Ayelet Shor	Evaluating three models of primary health care	The National Institute for Health Policy Research	140,000	2015-2017
PI		Evaluating a campaign on Brucellosis	MOH	42,000	2016
PI		Evaluation of the HENRY project	Ashalim	190,000	2016-2019
PI	Aviad Tor Sinai (PI) and others	Attitudes and Changes in Lifestyle, Nutrition, and Physical Activity Patterns among Adolescents: The Role of Social, Economic, Family, and Peer Factors	MOST		2017-2020
PI	Riki Tesler (PI)	Participation in a net ball league increases social capital and promotes health and wellbeing- MamaNet	MOST		2017-2020
PI	Calanit Key	Characterization of the factors that influence using online services and their impact on the control of diabetes.	The National Institute for Health Policy Research	166,000	2018-2020
PI	Obid, Bord Kabaya	Development of interventions to prevent brucellosis via community participations	Ministry of Agriculture	212,000	2017-2019
PI		Evaluation of nutritional intervention at Mikve Israel	Ministry of Health	20,000	2019-2020
PI	Dian Levine Efrat Neter	Use of digital healthcare services in older adults in Taiwan and Israel:	MOST- Taiwan	252,000	2021-2023
PI	Ariel Aviv Adir Shmuelov	Testing the feasibility of a home-based treatment model for hemato-oncology patients as an extension of hospital-based care	The National Institute for Health Policy Research	251,000	2022-2025

PUBLICATIONS

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