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## **Dr. Alberto M. Davalli**

After graduating *cum laude* from the University of Milan in 1985, Dr. Davalli specialised with full marks in Diabetology and Metabolic Diseases in 1989, and in Endocrinology and Metabolic Diseases in 2004.

He began practising under the guidance of Prof. Guido Pozza at Istituto Scientifico San Raffaele IRCCS, initially as fellowship holder and then as an intern in General Medicine.

During the first years of his hospital career, he was a member of the team of Prof. Camillo Ricordi (currently the Director of the Diabetes Research Institute in Miami), which developed and carried out the first pancreatic islet transplantations performed in Italy in patients with type 1 (insulin-dependent) diabetes.

He was subsequently sent on the three-year secondment to the Joslin Diabetes Center of Harvard Medical School in Boston where, in addition to attending numerous advanced training courses, he collaborated with Prof. Gordon C. Weir in clinical and research work in the fields of diabetes, endocrine and metabolic diseases, and islet transplantations.

Since 2002, he has been a level I manager at San Raffaele Hospital in Milan, where he works in the Unit of General Endocrino-Metabolic Medicine and has acquired considerable experience in the diagnosis, treatment and follow-up of endocrine and metabolic diseases, and all forms of diabetes.

In 2006, he spent a further period of time of abroad at the Diabetes Division of the University of Texas where, in collaboration with Prof. Ralph DeFronzo, he participated in the study of innovative treatments for type 2 (non-insulin-dependent) diabetes mellitus and insulin-resistance syndromes. He was appointed an adjunct associate professor at the University of Texas Health Science Center in San Antonio in 2010.

Since 2007, he has been an expert consultant for the website “[portalediabete.org](http://portalediabete.org)”.

He is co-author of 80 articles published in censused international scientific journals and eight book chapters.

He also acts as a consultant diabetologist for La Madonnina private clinic.