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## CURRICULUM VITAE

### 1. Personal Details

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### Licenses

2018 Medical Psychology Supervisor, License No. 27-32176  
2014 Hypnosis, License No. 32176  
2013 Medical Psychology, License No. 27-1292  
2008 Psychology, License No. 27-84822

### 2. Higher Education

#### A. Undergraduate and Graduate Studies

Period of Study	Name of Institution and Department	Degree	Year of Approval of Degree
2017-2022	Ben-Gurion University of the Negev, Department of Public Health	PhD - Faculty Research Excellence Award, 2022 - Dean's list, The Kreitman school of Advanced Graduate Studies, 2022	2022
2006 – 2008	The Academic College of Tel Aviv-Yaffo, Faculty of Social Sciences Medical psychology program	M.A - Summa cum laude	2008
2003 – 2006	The Hebrew University of Jerusalem, Faculty of Social Sciences, Psychology and communication	B.A - Magna cum laude	2006

### 3. Academic Ranks and Tenure in Institutes of Higher Education

Dates	Name of Institution and Department	Rank/Position
*2025 – Present	The Max Stern Yezreel Valley College, M.A Program Medical psychology	Senior Lecturer
2024 – 2025	The Max Stern Yezreel Valley College, M.A Program Medical psychology	Proposed rank senior Lecturer

2022 - 2025	Ashkelon Academic College, Social Sciences, M.A Program Medical Psychology	Adjunct Lecturer
2023 – 2024	The Max Stern Yezreel Valley College, M.A Program Medical psychology	Proposed rank Lecturer
2022 - 2023	The Max Stern Yezreel Valley College, M.A Program Medical Psychology	Adjunct Lecturer

#### **4. Offices in Academic Administration**

- \*<sup>1</sup>2025 – Present: Member of the Admissions Committee of the medical psychology department, The Max Stern Yezreel Valley College.
- 2023 – Present: Member of the academic committee of the medical psychology department, The Max Stern Yezreel Valley College.
- 2022 – Present: Medical Psychology Practicum coordinator, M.A program, The Max Stern Yezreel Valley College.

#### **5. Scholarly Positions and Activities outside the Institution**

- 2018 – Present: Member of the Medical psychology counselling committee, second term, Ministry of Health, Israel.  
Contribute expertise since 2018 to the Medical Psychology Committee, focusing on oversight of medical psychology specialization placements and policy formulation within the Ministry of Health. Ensure professional standards in medical psychology services, advising on strategic initiatives for enhancing practices and policy development. This position was filled through a public tender and Voluntary.
- 2015 – Present: Clinical Lecturer and Instructor, Oncology Institute, Assuta Ramat HaHayal Medical Center Medical Student Clinical Rotations, Ben-Gurion University of the Negev.

<b>Years</b>	<b>Reviewing for Conferences / Academic Dissertations</b>
<b>2025</b>	The Academic College of Tel Aviv-Yaffo (Three MA Dissertations)

<b>Years</b>	<b>Reviewing for Refereed Journals</b>
<b>2025</b>	Supportive Care in Cancer

<b>Years</b>	<b>Review for Funding Agencies</b>
<b>2021</b>	Israel Cancer Association

#### **6. Participation in Scholarly Conferences**

<b>Date</b>	<b>Name of International Conference</b>	<b>Place of Conference</b>	<b>Subject of Lecture/Discussion</b>	<b>Role</b>
2022, August	International Psycho-Oncology Society, Annual Conference	Toronto, Canada	The Emotional and Psychological Burdens of Providing Oncology Care: A Review of Three Studies	Symposium, Oral Presentation.

<sup>1</sup> \* Since receiving Lecturer rank.

2020, April	17th Annual Conference of the American Psychosocial Oncology Society	Online Conference	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Conceptualizations and definitions of pediatric palliative care by Israeli oncologists</li> <li>2. The 3" C's" in the physician-parent alliance in pediatric oncology.</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Oral Presentation.</li> <li>2. e-Poster</li> </ol>
2019, December	The Future of Gerontology. International conference.	Haifa, Israel	Doctoral Students Studies; Pediatric palliative care in the Israeli context.	Oral Presentation
2016, June	47th Annual Meeting of Society for Psychotherapy Research (SPR)	Jerusalem, Israel	Group psychotherapy with cancer patients: Adaptation to Israeli setting and preliminary results	Oral Presentation
2008	22 Annual Conference of the European Health Psychology Society	Bath, England	Under the white coat: On physicians, coping with death	Oral Presentation
2006	International Neuropsychological Society, 34th Annual Meeting	Boston, MA, USA	Two Studies of the Interactive Relations between Risk taking, Cognitive-Impulsivity and Valence on the Iowa Gambling Task (IGT).	Poster

Date	Name of National Conference	Place of Conference	Subject of Lecture/Discussion	Role
*2025 November	The 30th Annual Conference of the Israel Society for Quality in Medicine	Tel Aviv, Israel	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Virtual Reality Headsets Reduced Anxiety and Stress Among Breast Biopsy and Mammography Patients: Preliminary Findings</li> <li>2. Psychological Resilience in Medical Teams during Emergencies: Effects of a Stress-Regulation Workshop in the "Iron Swords" War.</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. e-Poster</li> <li>2. e-Poster</li> </ol>

2025 September	Israel Association of Public Health Physicians: Local and Global Challenges in Public Health	Tel Aviv, Israel	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Use of Virtual Reality Glasses during Mammography and Breast Biopsy: Preliminary Evidence of Reduced Anxiety and Stress.</li> <li>2. Psychological Resilience in Medical Teams during Emergencies: Effects of a Stress-Regulation Workshop in the “Iron Swords” War.</li> <li>3. Medical Students’ Attitudes toward Interprofessional Teamwork in the Oncology Institute at Assuta Ramat Hachayal.</li> <li>4. Implementation of an Emotional Skills Development Program for Oncology Nurses: A Multi-Phase Implementation Study for daily practice and Emergency Periods</li> <li>5. Telemedicine Program for Psychological Support of Clinical Teams.</li> <li>6. Efficacy and Patient Satisfaction with a Shared Clinic Model Integrating Oncological and Psychological Care for Prostate Cancer Patients.</li> <li>7. Online Conferences as a Supportive Intervention in Breast Cancer Recovery:</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. e-Poster</li> <li>2. e-Poster</li> <li>3. e-Poster</li> <li>4. e-Poster</li> <li>5. e-Poster</li> <li>6. Oral Presentation [Hebrew].</li> <li>7. Oral Presentation [Hebrew].</li> </ol>
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			Strengthening the Continuity of Care Between Hospital and Community.	
	The 17th Annual Health Policy Conference of the National Institute for Health Policy Research	Tel Aviv, Israel	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Efficacy and Patient Satisfaction with a Shared Clinic Model Integrating Oncological and Psychological Care for Prostate Cancer Patients.</li> <li>2. Medical Students' Attitudes toward Interprofessional Teamwork in the Oncology Institute at Assuta Ramat Hachayal</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. e-Poster</li> <li>2. e-Poster</li> </ol>
*2024 September	The 29th Annual Conference of the Israel Society for Quality in Medicine.	Tel Aviv, Israel	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>3. "Avelim" – A Unique Initiative for Supporting Healthcare Workers Experiencing Loss And Grief.</li> <li>4. "Assuta Reset" - Utilizing VR Technology to Strengthen the Mental Resilience of Clinical Teams in Emergency Routine.</li> <li>5. A Telemedicine Service for Providing Mental Health Support to Clinical Teams.</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>3. Oral Presentation [Hebrew].</li> <li>2. Oral Presentation [Hebrew].</li> <li>3. Oral Presentation [Hebrew].</li> </ol>
*2024 September	The 8th Annual conference of the Israeli Association of Medical Education (HEELR) - "Medical Education in an Era of Change"	Ramat Gan, Israel	Medical Students' Attitudes Toward Working in a Multidisciplinary Team at the Oncology Institute, Assuta Ramat Hachayal.	Oral Presentation [Hebrew].
*2023, September	The 28th Annual Conference of the Israel Society for Quality in Medicine.	Tel Aviv, Israel	Medical Students' Attitudes Towards Working in a Multidisciplinary Team at the Oncology Institute at Assuta	e-Poster

			Hospital Ramat HaHayal.	
2023, June	Designing Healthcare Services Together.	Kfar Saba, Israel	Online Group Intervention for Learning Relaxation and Guided Imagery Techniques Assuta Ramat HaHayal.	e-Poster
2023, May	The 15th Annual Conference on Health Policy of the National Institute for Health Services Research and Health Policy	Tel Aviv, Israel	Online Group Intervention for Learning Relaxation and Guided Imagery Techniques Assuta Ramat HaHayal.	e-Poster
2022, March	The 27th Conference of the Israel Society for Quality in Medicine.	Tel Aviv, Israel	Online Group Intervention for Learning Relaxation and Guided Imagery Techniques at the Hospital.	Oral Presentation [Hebrew].
2022, March	Israel Public Health Association Conference "Public Health in a Changing World"	Ashkelon, Israel	Evaluating the Effectiveness of Online Relaxation and Guided Imagery Groups at Assuta Ramat HaHayal.	e-Poster
2021, December	The Israeli Medical Psychology Association, Annual conference.	Jerusalem, Israel	The 3" C's" in the physician-parent alliance in pediatric oncology.	Poster
2021, December	The Israeli Medical Psychology Association, Annual conference.	Jerusalem, Israel	Can we Zoom out of the hospital? Implementation research on online stress reduction technique interventions in a hospital setting.	Poster
2020, October	The Israel Palliative Medicine Association and The Association of Palliative Care (Tmicha), Annual Conference. "The Academization of Palliative Care: A Luxury or a Necessity"	Online Conference	Pediatric Palliative Care in Israel: Concepts and Definitions of Israeli Oncologists.	Oral Presentation [Hebrew].
2018, June	The Israeli Association for Cognitive Behavioral Therapy (CBT) Conference.	Tel Aviv, Israel	Transdiagnostic Cognitive Behavioral Therapy for Anxiety Disorders in Medical Settings: The Transdiagnostic Model and its Clinical Application.	Oral Presentation [Hebrew].

2015, October	The Israeli Association of Clinical Research Coordinators in Hospitals and the Community, Annual Conference.	Tel Aviv, Israel	Being a Coordinators or Being Coordinated? Challenges in Accompanying Patients with Life-Threatening Illnesses.	Oral Presentation [Hebrew].
2015, February	15th Annual Meeting of The Association of Family and Community Medicine.	Tel Aviv, Israel	At the Doorstep", Vision and Pioneering: Medical Psychology in the Home Care Unit.	Oral Presentation [Hebrew].
2014, November	Israeli Society of Nephrology Nurses, Annual Conference	Dead Sea, Israel	Gender and Medicine.	Oral Presentation [Hebrew].
2011, November	Israel Psycho-Oncology Society, Conference	Givatayim, Israel	Breathing by the Book: A Relaxation Technique as an Aid for Cancer Patient Treatment.	Oral Presentation [Hebrew].

#### 7. Invited Lectures\ Colloquium Talks

Date	Place of Lecture	Name of Forum	Presentation/Comments
2024 July	Online Conference	Medical Psychology Special series for Medical Psychologist Supervisors	Intergenerational Supervision in Psycho-Oncology; A Multi-Variable Equation. [Hebrew]
*2024 April	Online Conference	Graduates of National Medical Psychology M.A Programs Conference, Ministry of Health	A Road map to the Internship Process: Introduction and Highlights. [Hebrew]
*2017-Present	Tel-Aviv, Israel.	Clinical rotation in oncology for training medical students at Ben Gurion University, Assuta Hospital, Ramat HaHayal.	Coping with End-of-Life: The Patient, Their Family, and the Medical Team. [Hebrew]
2023 June	Tel-Aviv, Israel.	"Supervision in Medical Psychology: Unique Aspects and Professional Emphasis". Annual Conference for Supervisors in Medical Psychology, Professional Committee for Medical Psychology, Ministry of Health.	Case Selection Issues for Internship Examinations: Systemic and Individual Components. [Hebrew].
2023 January	Online Conference	The Israel Psychological Association (Histadrut), Medical Psychology Division Conference:	Medical Psychology: Past, Present, and Future Horizons. [Hebrew].

		Guidelines and perspectives for a Master's Degree in Medical Psychology.	
2023 January	Academic College Ashkelon, Ashkelon, Israel	Academic College Ashkelon Psychological Department Symposium	Cognitive Behavioral Therapy in Medical Psychology. [Hebrew].
2018 April & October	The international unite for advanced study Assuta Medical Centers, Tel-Aviv, Israel	A teaching lecture in a chronic pain management course for physicians from Russia.	Psycho-Oncology: How we use psychology to assist pain control.
2018 April & October	The international unite for advanced study Assuta Medical Centers, Tel-Aviv, Israel	A teaching lecture in a chronic pain management course for physicians from Russia.	Pain facilitating communication Workshop.

## 8. Research Grants

### b. Submission of Research Proposals – Not Funded (In the Last 5 Years)

Role in Research	Co-Researchers	Title	Funded by (C=Competitive Fund)	Year	Score
2025	PI	Berger Ruti  Assuta Medical Centers	Use of Virtual Reality to Reduce Anxiety in Medical Procedures at Assuta Medical Centers: Clinical Outcomes, Patient Experience, and Systemic Implications	The Israel National Institute for Health Policy Research	Not Mentioned

PI	Reut Ron Assuta Medical Centers	The unique contribution of the psychologist to improving end-of-life quality for home hospice patients	The Israel National Institute for Health Policy Research	2024	Not Mentioned
Researcher	PI - Reut Ron Researcher – Karen brooner Assuta Medical Centers	Evaluating Safe Return-to-Work Protocols for Healthcare Professionals Following Maternity Leave	Hamossad Lebituach Leumi - Keren Manof	2024	Not Mentioned

## 9. Scholarships, Awards and Prizes

- 2024 Excellence Award, for extraordinary accomplishments, Assuta Medical Centers.
- 2022 Award for outstanding academic achievements in PhD studies during the academic year, The Kreitman school of Advanced Graduate Studies, Ben-Gurion University of the Negev, (1500 NIS)
- 2022 Faculty Research Excellence Award, Department of Public Health, Ben-Gurion University of the Negev.
- 2006 Magna Cum Laude, B.A. The Hebrew University of Jerusalem, Faculty of Social Sciences, Psychology and communication, (1000).

## 10. Teaching

### a. Courses Taught in Recent Years

Year	Name of Course	Type of Course Lecture/Seminar/ Workshop/High Learn Course/ Introduction Course (Mandatory)	Degree	Number of Students
* 2023 - present	The Implementations of Medical Psychology in the Clinical Arena.	Lecture, Introduction Course	M.A Medical psychology The Max Stern Yezreel Valley College	2023 – 11p 2024 – 17p 2025 – 17p
* 2023 - present	Cognitive Behavioral Therapy in	Lecture, Introduction Course	M.A Medical psychology The Max Stern Yezreel Valley College	2023 – 11p 2024 – 17p 2025 – 19p

2022 - present	Practicum Course: Practical Application and Supervision	Lecture & supervision	M.A Medical psychology The Max Stern Yezreel Valley College	2022 – 8p 2023 – 18p 2024 – 20p 2025 – 20p
2022 - 2025	Systematic Interventions in Medical Psychology	Lecture, Introduction Course	M.A Medical psychology The Ashkelon Academic College	2022 -12p 2023 – 11p 2024 – 18p
2022 - 2025	Introduction to Medical Psychology Psychotherapy	Lecture, Introduction Course	M.A Medical psychology The Ashkelon Academic College	2022 -12p 2023 – 11p 2024 – 18p

b. **Supervision of Graduate Students**

Name of Student	Name of Co-Supervisors	Title of Thesis	Degree	Date of Completion /in Progress	Students' Achievements
Aviya Malca	Shirly Alon	Use of Virtual Reality to Reduce Anxiety in Breast Cancer Biopsy: Clinical Outcomes and Patient Experience	M.A	In Progress	
Dana Meller	Shirly Alon	Use of Virtual Reality to Reduce Anxiety in Mammography Screening: Clinical Outcomes and Patient Experience	M.A	In Progress	

**11. Miscellaneous**

- 2025 Laronne, A. (3.9.2025). Innovative Use of 3D Glasses in Pain Management: The effect of 3D glasses on patients undergoing mammography for breast cancer screening. Channel 14.  
<https://share.ifat.com/item?encID=KtxqUUge1fPcgsub1P36bwxEqualsXxEqualsX&itemType=tv>.
- 2025 Laronne, A. (25.8.2025). The Israeli innovation that could revolutionize early cancer detection. <https://www.i24news.tv/he/news/news/health/artc-e750421e>.
- 2025 Laronne, A. (19.8.2025). How VR glasses help women during mammography screenings. <https://www.israelhayom.co.il/health/article/18664094>
- 2025 Laronne, A. (21.6.2025). Addressing how adults and children may cope with stress during Operation "Rising Lion" - Participated in a studio panel. A special broadcast, Kan 11 channel.
- 2024 Laronne, A. (23.12.2023) Psychological Aspects of Lung Cancer. Conference of the Israel Cancer Association and Assuta Medical Centers for Lung Cancer Patients. (online).
- 2024 Laronne, A. (14.10.2024) Emotional harm resulting from social media and TikTok. Interview given to News broadcast, Channel 13 (Reshet 13).

- 2023 Laronne, A. (25.10.2023) Coping with Pain, "Refuah Shlema", TV Streaming Program, Dok Channel, Assuta.
- 2023 Video animation for children undergoing radiation. (2023). Consulting script writing and images. Ichilov hospital. Radiation Oncology Unit.

## **12. Professional Experience**

- 2020 - Present                   **Head of Medical Psychology Service, Assuta Medical Centers, Israel**  
 Responsibilities:
- Developed and implemented strategic plans to enhance the quality and efficiency of psychological services at Assuta Medical Centers. This included many innovative initiatives, such as a collaborative clinic for psychologists and oncologists for prostate cancer patients, webinars for cancer survivors, personal and group psychological services for healthcare personnel across nationwide distributed centers, and telemedicine psychological services utilized both in routine work and during crises, among others.
  - Supervised and coordinated a team of 21 psychologists providing psychological assessments, interventions, and counseling to patients and their families. Under my leadership, the team expanded from 5 members to 21, and accreditation from the Ministry of Health was obtained, enabling the integration of interns and students in medical psychology into the team, which further expanded our services.
  - Conducted workshops, seminars, and training sessions for psychologists and other healthcare professionals within the organization, including collaborations with leading experts from on topics such as biofeedback therapy, short-term therapy, and trauma treatment.
  - Supervise and mentor psychology interns, fellows, and junior staff.
- 2016 – Present                   **Head of Medical Psychology Internship Program, Ramat HaHayal Hospital, Assuta Medical Centers, Tel-Aviv, Israel**  
 Responsibilities:
- Lead and manage the Medical Psychology Internship Program in line with the Health Ministry regulations, overseeing the training and development of psychology interns.
  - Coordinate clinical supervisors work to ensure high-quality educational experiences, provide mentorship and guidance to interns.
  - Develop curriculum and training modules. Collaborate with healthcare professionals to integrate internship programs within the different units.
- 2013 – Present                   **Medical Psychologist, Privet clinic Modiin, Israel**  
 Responsibilities:
- Provide expert psychological assessments, interventions, and counseling services to patients dealing with a range of health and medical conditions. As part of my privet work, I'm working with the Israeli Defense Force (IDF) giving psychological services to Career Military Personnel. An association I had a few years ago and new reestablished following the events of 7/10/2023.
- 2020 – 2023                   **Head of Medical Psychology Practicum Program, Ramat HaHayal Hospital, Assuta Medical Centers, Tel-Aviv, Israel**  
 Responsibilities:
- Lead and oversee the Medical Psychology Practicum Program, ensuring comprehensive training and development of psychology students form all of academic institutes teaching M.A programs in Medical Psychology.

- Collaborate with healthcare professionals to integrate practical experiences across various hospital units, including oncology, hematology, pain management clinics, fertility treatment units, and cardiology surgery departments. These collaborations are continuously expanding to enhance multidisciplinary care and students experience.
  - Develop and refine program curriculum to meet educational standards and enhance clinical skills.
- 2012 – 2017      **Medical Psychologist, Home Care Hospitalization Unite, Meuchede HMO, Jerusalem, Israel**  
 Responsibilities:
- Built the framework for psychological services within the home care unit, which manages hundreds of patients in the district. As the first psychologist to establish this within the HMO in the country, I was responsible for groundbreaking work that led to the integration of health psychology in the area. Additionally, I served as an advisory resource to teams, units, and other organizations in the field.
  - Provide psychological assessments, interventions, and therapy for patients receiving home care hospitalization and end of life care.
  - Working in an interdisciplinary framework, leading interventions to reduce burnout and increase resilience.
- 2007 – 2014      **Medical Psychologist, Hadassah Medical center Jerusalem, Israel.**  
**Internship fallowed by working as an expert, verity of units, including Head of Psycho-Oncology Team, at the day care unit, Sharett Institute of Oncology.**  
 Responsibilities:
- Coordinating the work of the psychological team in the oncology day hospital unit.
  - Providing psycho-oncological treatment to patients with various medical conditions, spanning a diverse range of ages and cultural backgrounds.
- 2006 – 2009      **Practicum Student, Hematological Institute, Meir Medical Center, Kfar Saba, Israel.**  
 Responsibilities
- Psychological treatment of patients and their families, including establishing group therapy, stress reduction workshops, and individual therapy.

### Professional Training

- 2024      EADP (Accelerated Experiential Dynamic Psychotherapy), By Dr. Cina at Assuta Medical Centers.
- 2024      Focusing-Oriented Psychotherapy, The training center for psychologists, Israeli Ministry of Health.
- 2024      Single Session Therapy Training, Assuta Medical Centers and The International Center of SST.
- 2023      Flash Technique, The Mifrasim Institute for the Study and Teaching of Psychotherapy, The Academic College of Tel Aviv-Yaffo.
- 2022      Palliative Care, Israel health department, the Joint and Eshel.
- 2018      Emotion Focused Therapy (Level 1), The Israeli center for Emotion Focused Therapy
- 2017      Act (Level 1). The Israeli center for ACT.
- 2017      Biofeedback training, The Mifrasim Institute for the Study and Teaching of Psychotherapy, The Academic College of Tel Aviv-Yaffo.

- 2016 New authority therapy, Parental Guidance Training, The New Authority Center, Schneider Children's Medical Center of Israel.
- 2014 Hypnotherapist. License number 32176
- 2012 Certified Cognitive behavioral therapy therapist, The Israeli association for behavioral and cognitive therapy (ITA).

**13. Non-Academic Community Service (Volunteer Activities, pro-bono)**

- 2020 -Present Mendelat Halev, voluntary association for cancer patients and their families. Giving two lectures for volunteers, voluntary, annually. Lecture 1: "Psychological Aspects at Various Stages of Cancer". Lecture 2: "The Impact of Oncological Disease on the Patient and Their Families. [Hebrew]".

## PUBLICATIONS

### **A. Ph.D. Dissertation**

Laronne, A (2022). Pediatric Palliative Care in Oncology in Israel: Conceptualization, Definitions, and Understandings of Barriers and Facilitators to Implementation. [Doctoral dissertation]. Ben-Gurion University of the Negev.

Supervisors: Professor Leeat Granek, Dr. Paula Feder-Bubis.

Publication language: English.

Pages: 157.

Published: See D1, D2, & D3.

\* Authors' relative contributions are according to the order of names unless otherwise indicated.

### **D. Articles in Refereed Journals**

H-index: Web of Science = 3; Google Scholar = 4

Citations: Web of Science (without self-citations) = 37; Google Scholar = 83

Journal ranking (Q) and the Impact Factor of each manuscript were taken from Web of Science Clarivate JCR Database

(<https://jcr.clarivate.com/jcr/home?Init=Yes&SrcApp=IC2LS>). The number of citations of each manuscript was taken from Google Scholar.

### **Published**

1. \*Levin, D., Shekel, E., Grinfeld, G., Lashkovitzer, R., Tova, Y., Ben-David, M., Corn, B., Greenberg, V., Sapir, E., Zalmanov-Faermann, S., **Laronne, A.**, & Pfeffer, R. (2025). Beyond Technology: The Impact of Personal Physics Consultation on Patient Anxiety in Breast Cancer. *Radiotherapy International Journal of Radiation Oncology International Journal of Radiation Oncology, Biology, Physics*. DOI: [10.1016/j.ijrobp.2025.07.1446](https://doi.org/10.1016/j.ijrobp.2025.07.1446) (5-YR IF= 6.5, 1-YR IF= 6.5, Q1 in Oncology & Radiology, Nuclear Medicine & Medical Imaging).  
**Role in the publication:** I have contributed to the conceptualization of the study, development of the research design and methods, data curation and resources, data analysis, review of the literature, paper revision (during the publication process), and approved the final version of the manuscript.
2. Bar Yoseph, Y., Zur Onger, M., Lipsky, Y., & **Laronne, A.** (2022). Collaborative Clinic: A Psycho-Medical Model at the Oncology Institute in Assuta Hospital, Ramat HaHayal. *Israeli Psychologists Association Journal (Quarterly), psycho-aktualia*, pp. 22-29. [Hebrew]  
<https://www.psychology.org.il/sites/psycho/UserContent/files/psycho-aktualia/June-22.pdf>  
**Role in the publication:** I have initiated the study, contributed to the conceptualization of the study, development of the research design and methods, data curation and resources, data analysis, review of the literature, paper revision (during the publication process), and approved the final version of the manuscript.
3. **Laronne, A.**, Granek, L., Wiener, L., Feder-Bubis, P., & Golan, H. (2021). Oncologist conceptualizations of pediatric palliative care: challenges and definitions. *Supportive Care in Cancer*, 29(7), 3981-3989. Doi: [10.1002/pbc.29533](https://doi.org/10.1002/pbc.29533) (5-YR IF= 3.4, 1-YR IF= 3, Q1 in Rehabilitation - See also F.2, Cited by 18).

**Role in the publication:** I was involved in all phases of the research, including writing the paper.

4. **Laronne, A.**, Granek, L., Wiener, L., Feder-Bubis, P., & Golan, H. (2021). Organizational and individual barriers and facilitators to the integration of pediatric palliative care for children: A grounded theory study. *Palliative Medicine*, 02692163211026171.

Doi: [10.1177/02692163211026171](https://doi.org/10.1177/02692163211026171)

(5-YR IF=4.7, 1-YR IF=3.9, Q1 in Health Care Sciences & Services / Medicine, General & Internal / Public, Environmental & Occupational Health, Cited by 22)

**Role in the publication:** I was involved in all phases of the research, including writing the paper.

5. **Laronne, A.**, Granek, L., Wiener, L., Feder-Bubis, P., & Golan, H. (2021). "Some things are even worse than telling a child he is going to die": Pediatric oncology healthcare professionals perspectives on communicating with children about cancer and end of life. *Pediatric blood & cancer*, e29533. Doi: [10.1002/pbc.29533](https://doi.org/10.1002/pbc.29533) (5-YR IF= 2.8, 1-YR IF=2.3, Q2, Hematology / Oncology / Pediatrics, Cited by 31)

**Role in the publication:** I was involved in all phases of the research, including writing the paper.

## **E. Articles or Chapters in Scientific Books**

### **Published**

1. **Laronne, A.** (2023). The pathways of inspiration in training processes and their implications on development during the specialization period. In Raicher-Atias, R., & Litvin-Gershfeld, A. (Eds.), *Medical Psychology: Health, Illness, and Physical Injuries: Psychotherapy and Training*. Magnes Press, The Hebrew University, Jerusalem. [Hebrew, 413 pages]

**Role in the publication:** I have initiated the study, contributed to the conceptualization of the study, development of the research design and methods, data curation and resources, data analysis, review of the literature, paper revision (during the publication process), and approved the final version of the manuscript.

2. Ron, R. & **Laronne, A.** (2023). "Can We Zoom Out of The Hospital?" - Online Behavioral Stress Management Groups. In Weinberg, H., Rolnick, A., Leighton, A (Eds.), *The Virtual Group Therapy Circle: Advances in Online Group Theory and Practice* (Chapter 23, 12 pages). Routledge.

Doi: <https://doi.org/10.4324/9781003248606>

**Role in the publication:** I have initiated the study, contributed to the conceptualization of the study, development of the research design and methods, data curation and resources, data analysis, review of the literature, paper revision (during the publication process), and approved the final version of the manuscript.

3. Goldzweig, G., Hasson-Ohayon, I., Elinger, G., **Laronne, A.**, Wertheim, R., & Pizem, N. (2017). Adaptation of meaning-centered group psychotherapy in the Israeli context: The process of importing an intervention and preliminary results. Book Chapter In: W. Breitbart (editor) *Meaning-Centered Psychotherapy in the Cancer Setting*, 145-156 , New York, Oxford University Press.

Doi: <https://doi.org/10.1093/med/9780199837229.003.0012>

**Role in the publication:** I was involved in all phases of the research, including facilitating the group and writing the chapter.

## **F. Articles in Conference Proceedings**

### **Published**

1. Granek, L., **Laronne, A.**, & Nakash, O. (2022). The Emotional and Psychological Burdens of Providing Oncology Care: A Review of Three Studies. *Journal of Psychosocial Oncology Research and Practice*, 4: S1.
2. **Laronne, A.**, Granek, L., Golan H., Feder-Bubis, P., & Wiener L. (2020, April). Conceptualizations and definitions of pediatric palliative care by Israeli oncologists. *Psycho-Oncology* 29, 47-47. (See also D.1)
3. **Laronne, A.**, Granek, L. Golan, H., & Feder-Bubis, P. (2020, April). The 3" C's" in the physician-parent alliance in pediatric oncology. *Psycho-Oncology* 29, 98-98.
4. **Laronne, A.**, & Jacoby, R. (2008, September). Under the white coat: On physicians, coping with death. Paper presented at the 22-annual conference of the *European Health Psychology Society*, Bath, England.

## **H. Other Scientific Publications**

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## **Summary of my Activities and Future Plans**

I am Dr. Anat Laronne, a faculty member in the Department of Medical Psychology at The Max Stern Yezreel Valley College and a lecturer in the Department of Medical Psychology at the The Ashkelon Academic College, having over 16 years of experience in the field of Medical Psychology.

I am a leading expert in Medical Psychology in Israel, passionate about bridging the divide between mental health and physical well-being, as a clinician, a lecturer, and a policy maker. My career has focused on clinical service, development and implementation of services and their management, instruction of internes and students, research, and teaching, all aimed at improving the lives of patients and their families facing medical challenges and the continued development of the Medical Psychology in Israel.

My clinical expertise is both in the public services and in the private sector. Over the years I worked with many patients in my private practice as well as in three hospitals and an HMO service. I not only provided care for patients but also initiated innovative enterprises for patients, personnel, and the health systems as a whole. I have vast experience in psycho-oncology, palliative care, cognitive behavioral interventions, and existential therapy all of which are also included in my writing and research focus.

Leading the field of Medical Psychology in the country and being a licensed supervisor. I'm involved in training of medical psychology students and interns. My expertise involves also training other personnel including medical experts, interns, and students in relevant issues of psychology and doctor-patient communication.

The recognition for my contribution to the field can be seen in my assignment by the Health Ministry in the advisory committee for Medical Psychology, for the second term last year. A position I hold voluntary for more than six years. In line of this work, I have developed many contacts with Medical Psychology services in the country and a profound knowledge of the guidelines and laws relevant for the development of Medical Psychology students, interns and services.

In the future I hope to continue my contribution to the field of Medical Psychology in all the above-mentioned areas, improving my expertise and being able to help others to increase their knowledge and to bring Medical Psychology in Israel to the highest standards possible.