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IN EPIDEMIOLOGY AND  
PUBLIC HEALTH”**

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ROOM 211, COLLEGE OF MEDICINE, 2ND FLOOR

From 1991 to present, Dr. Santanello has been in the Department of Epidemiology at Merck Research Laboratories; in 2003 she was appointed to the position of head of that department. Her areas of research interest include: the development and validation of outcome measures for use in clinical trials, study design, adherence to therapy, satisfaction with and preference for therapy, effectiveness studies, and drug and vaccine safety/pharmacoepidemiology. Dr. Santanello is a Past President of the International Society for Pharmacoepidemiology (ISPE) and is a Fellow of ISPE (FISPE).