Christiana’s dedication to home and community nursing was evidenced through her leadership, publications, advocacy, teaching, and professionalism. Her kindness was shown through personal interactions, information sharing, networking assistance and respect for others. She was an active member of the IHCNO Research Committee and contributed to the development of the IHCNO International Guidelines for Home Care Nursing.

Christiana was a Professor in the Department of Nursing, Cyprus University of Technology and taught postgraduate and undergraduate level Community Nursing, Health Promotion, Transcultural Nursing, and Family Nursing. She supervised the thesis of many PhD/Master level students.

She had over 150 publications in peer reviewed journals (international and national) and published two books. She delivered over 15 invited speaker presentations and presented over 60 conference papers at international and national conferences. Her European Union (EU) activities included funded projects on Female Genital Mutilation, Culturally Competent and Compassionate Health Care Leaders and Intercultural Health Care Teams. Other areas of activity were sexual violence, femicide, youth sexual aggression and victimization.

The Cyprus Nurses and Midwives Association (CYNMA) recognized her as a tireless collaborator and a pioneer for the creation of the Community Nursing Sector of which she served for years as president. CYNMA stated that Christiana’s expertise assisted with the consolidation of community and home nursing in Cyprus, helped in consultations with the Health Insurance Organization and collaborated with the Directorate of Nursing Services of the Ministry of Health to develop legislation for home nursing.

The Association notes that her love for nursing was evident through her works and her interaction with those around her, adding that Nursing in Cyprus lost a worthy and dear colleague, a collaborator and above all a human being.

Personal Tributes

* Christiana was an outstanding colleague and a beautiful person. Her inputs in Community and Home care Nursing are priceless. *Aristides Chorattas, PhD, RN, CYNMA Board Member, and Vice President, Executive Committee, European Federation of Nurses Associations (EFN).*
* Christiana’s passing was accompanied by sadness to the whole nursing community and the society.” *Ioannis Leontiou, MA, BSc (Hons), CCN, RN, President, Cyprus Nurses and Midwives Association.*
* Christiana provided thoughtful and knowledgeable guidance to the Research Committee to support quality research by home care nurses. We will miss her as a friend and a colleague. Susan Hinck PhD APRN GCNS-BC, IHCNO, Board of Directors and Research Committee Chair
* Christiana loved nursing. She was a positive person, heart-warming and generous with her time. She assisted IHCNO (and me personally) to understand the broad spectrum of International Home Care Nursing. Barbara Piskor, MPH, BSN, NEA-BC, President, Board Member, IHCNO.