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***M.Sc. in medical librarianship & information science, Iran University of Medical Science, Iran***  
October 2004- July 2007

***B.Sc. in medical librarianship & information science, Tabriz University of Medical Science, Iran***  
October 1998- March 2001

**Published papers:**

- 1- Sadeghi-Ghyassi F, Zarea Gavgani V, Fathifar Z\*, Makani N, Vaez R, Montazeri M. Quality of reporting of literature search strategies in systematic reviews published on the role of telehealth during COVID-19. Journal of Information Science. 50 (2), 291-302 2024; doi: <https://doi.org/10.1177/01655515221087649>.
- 2- Fathifar Z, Qorbanzadeh F, Saeedi Z, Ferdousi R\*. A Review of Mobile Applications' Features for Pregnant Women's Self-care Depiction of Health, 2023;14(2): 247-259 [In Persian].
- 3- Pourrazavi S, Fathifar Z, Sharma M, Allahverdipour H\*. COVID-19 vaccine hesitancy: A Systematic review of cognitive determinants. Health Promotion Perspectives. 2023;13(1):21.
- 4- Azimi S, Javadi Z, Alizadeh Mizani M, Pourrazavi S, Fathifar Z, Kumar Chattu V, Allahverdipour H\*. A Glance at the Efficiency of Marital Sexual Intimacy Interventions: The Different Outcomes on Couples and Women, 2023; doi: <https://doi.org/10.1177/10664807231174220>

- 5- Fathifar Z, Kalankesh LR, Ostadrahimi A, Ferdousi R. New approaches in developing medicinal herbs databases. Database 2023, baac110.
- 6- Asadzadeh A, Mohammadzadeh Z, Fathifar Z, Jahangiri-Mirshekarlou S, Rezaei-Hachesu P\*. A framework for information technology-based management against COVID-19 in Iran. BMC Public Health. 2022 Dec;22(1):1-5.
- 7- Saadati F, Nadrian H\*, Golkar MH, Taghdisi MH, Gilani N, Ghassab-Abdollahi N, Fathifar Z. Indices and Indicators Developed to Evaluate the "Strengthening Community Actions" Mechanism of the Ottawa Charter for Health Promotion: A Scoping Review. American Journal of Health Promotion. 2022 Jun;36(5):881-93.
- 8- Shirvani T, Javadivala Z, Azimi S, Shaghaghi A, Fathifar Z, Devender Bhalla HD, Abdekhoda M, Nadrian H\*. Community-based educational interventions for prevention of type II diabetes: a global systematic review and meta-analysis. Systematic Reviews. 2021 Dec;10(1):1-2.
- 9- Sanayei M, Kalejahi P, Mahinkazemi M, Fathifar Z, Barzegar A\*. The effect of Chlorella vulgaris on obesity related metabolic disorders: a systematic review of randomized controlled trials. Journal of Complementary and Integrative Medicine. 2021 May 5;19(4):833-42.
- 10- Hadilou M, Ebrahimi P, Karimzadeh B, Ghaffary A, Gholami L\*, Fathifar Z. Immediate loading of short implants: A systematic review. Journal of Advanced Periodontology & Implant Dentistry. 2021;13(1):15.
- 11- Behrooz M, Vaghef-Mehrabany E, Maleki V, Pourmoradian S, Fathifar Z, Ostadrahimi A\*. Spexin status in relation to obesity and its related comorbidities: a systematic review. Journal of Diabetes & Metabolic Disorders. 2020 Dec;19:1943-57.
- 12- Ebrahimi SM, Dehghanzadeh Reyhani R\*, Asghari-JafarAbadi M, Fathifar Z. Diversity of antibiotics in hospital and municipal wastewaters and receiving water bodies and removal efficiency by treatment processes: a systematic review protocol. Environmental Evidence. 2020 Dec;9:1-9.
- 13- Pourrazavi S, Kouzekanani K, Bazargan-Hejazi S, Shaghaghi A, Hashemiparast M, Fathifar Z, Allahverdipour H\*. Theory-based E-health literacy interventions in older adults: a systematic review. Archives of Public Health. 2020 Dec;78:1-8.
- 14- Samiei M, Shirazi S, Azar FP, Fathifar Z, Ghojzadeh M, Alipour M\*. The effect of different mixing methods on the properties of calcium-enriched mixture cement: a systematic review of in vitro studies. Iranian Endodontic Journal. 2019;14(4):240.
- 15- Ghoreishi Z, Keshavarz S, Asghari Jafarabadi M, Fathifar Z, Goodman KA, Esfahani A\*. Risk factors for paclitaxel-induced peripheral neuropathy in patients with breast cancer. BMC cancer. 2018 Dec;18:1-6.
- 16- Esfahani A, Somi MH, Asghari Jafarabadi M, Ostadrahimi A, Ghayour Nahand M, Fathifar Z, Doostzadeh A, Ghoreishi Z. A new score for screening of malnutrition in patients with inoperable gastric adenocarcinoma. Japanese Journal of Clinical Oncology, 2017;47(6):475-479. DOI: 10.1093/jjco/hyx034. Published online: 10 March 2017.
- 17- Khayyati F, Allahverdipour H, Shaghaghi A\*, Fathifar Z. Tobacco Use Prevention by Integrating Inside and Outside of School Based Programs: A Systematic Review Article. Health Promotion Perspectives, 2015;5(2):81–91. Published online 2015 Jul 7. doi: 10.15171/hpp.2015.010.
- 18- Khayyati F, Fathifar Z, Shirzadi S, Pashaei T. Writing and presenting a systematic review emphasizing the Cochrane Handbook for systematic reviews. Chron Dis J 2016; 4(1): 21-30.
- 19- Fathifar Z\*, Hosseini AF, Alibeig MR. Survey of Persian medical and health websites qualification with Silberg criteria. Journal of health administration, 2007;10(28):25-30 [In Persian].

### **Abstracts and papers in non-peer reviewed journals**

- 1- Fathifar Z, Kimiaei M, Mansouri Z, Rasti Z, Ferdousi R. Free Fitness Mobile Applications: A Review and Quality Assessment Using the Mobile Application Rating Scale (MARS). Iranian biomedical journal, 2024, 28 (7), 171-171.
- 2- Fathifar Z, Sadri S, Darabi F, Ferdousi R. Mobile Health Applications for Mental Health: Review and Analysis of Functionality/Technical Features and Content. Iranian biomedical journal, 2024, 28 (7), 208-208.
- 3- "Diet & Nutrition-Related Mobile Apps in the Iranian Mobile Apps Store (Bazaar)", Journal of Biomedical Physics & Engineering, 2023, vol.13.
- 4- "Evaluation of HIV/AIDS weblogs in Persian", Horizons of Medical Education Development, 2011, 4(2):558.
- 5- "Evaluation of reporting methods of current lower urinary tract symptom guidelines: Preliminary review", Eur Urol Suppl, 2013; 12:e1159.
- 6- "Evaluation of Reporting Methods of Prostate Cancer Guidelines", International Journal of Urology, 2014; 21(suppl. 2):A200.
- 7- Sadeghi-Ghyassi F, Fathifar Z, Saeedi Hasankandi H. Assessing The Methodological Quality Of Decision Support System (DSS) Systematic Reviews By Amstar Checklist. BMJ Open, 2017, 7(Suppl. 1): A57.
- 8- Fathifar Z, Saeedi Hasankandi H, Sadeghi-Ghyassi F. Assessing The Quality Of Search Strategies In Decision Support System (DSS) Systematic Reviews. BMJ Open, 2017, 7(Suppl. 1): A57.

### Seminar/Conference presentations and posters

- 1- "The Effect of Holy Quran-Based interventions on Premature Infants: A Systematic Literature Review", 2<sup>nd</sup> International Conference on the Quran and Science, 2024, Mashhad.
- 2- "Poor reporting of literature search in systematic reviews published on telehealth", JBI gLocal Solution Room, Fatemeh Sadeghi-Ghyassi; Zahra Fathifar; Vahideh Zarea; Reyhaneh Vaez; Nasrin Makani; Maryam Montazeri. 2023, Tabriz.
- 3- "Evaluation the awareness of medical librarians of Tabriz University of Medical sciences with evidence databases and study designs", The 1<sup>st</sup> International student congress of Research Integrity & Evidence-Based Medicine, 2014, Iran.
- 4- "Analytical evaluation of reporting methods of guidelines of osteoporosis in female", International Congress on Women's Health Promotion, 2013, Iran.
- 5- "Analytical evaluation of reporting methods of stroke guidelines", 6<sup>th</sup> National and 1<sup>st</sup> International Iranian Stroke Congress, 2013, Iran.
- 6- "Investigation of addicted Women's reason for willingness to addiction from their perspectives", The National Congress of women health, 2013, Iran.
- 7- "Studying Domestic Violence rate among Prenatal Women", The National Congress of women health, 2013, Iran.
- 8- "Evaluation of HIV/AIDS websites in Persian: a preliminary study", 1<sup>st</sup> International and 4<sup>th</sup> National Congress on Health Education & Promotion, 2011, Iran.
- 9- "Evaluation of English learning websites for individuals", Symposium of Educational Technology in Information & Communication Age, 2008, Iran.

10. "بررسی موانع اجرایی آموزش به بیمار از دیدگاه پرستاران"، دومین کنگره ملی آموزش بیمار، ۱۳۹۲، تهران.

11. "بررسی درک پرستاران از عملکردشان نسبت به آموزش به بیمار"، دومین کنگره ملی آموزش بیمار، ۱۳۹۲، تهران.
12. "عملکرد مهارت ارتباطی پزشکان با بیماران و نگرش پزشکان نسبت به آن، تبریز سال ۹۱"، دومین کنگره ملی آموزش بیمار، ۱۳۹۲، تهران.
13. "بررسی موانع و تسهیل کننده های آموزش به بیمار از دیدگاه پرستاران"، دومین کنگره ملی آموزش بیمار، ۱۳۹۲، تهران.
14. "آموزش عملکرد مبتنی برشواهد به کتابداران: دیدگاه کتابداران پزشکی دانشگاه علوم پزشکی تبریز"، اولین همایش ممیزی بالینی و ارتقای کیفیت، ۱۳۹۳، تبریز.
15. "بررسی نحوه جستجوی منابع در مطالعات مرور نظام مند انجام گرفته در حیطه ی سیستم های پشتیبانی تصمیم گیری بالینی"، دومین همایش ملی کتاب و خواندن: رسانه و سلامت، ۱۳۹۵، تبریز.

### **Teaching experiences:**

#### **A) Tutoring in courses:**

- A-1) Tutoring in "Knowledge organization (3)" for Medical librarianship students, Tabriz University of Medical Science
- A-2) Tutoring in "Knowledge organization (4)" for Medical librarianship students, Tabriz University of Medical Science
- A-3) Tutoring in "Studying methods & Learning" for Nutrition Sciences students, Tabriz University of Medical Science
- A-4) Tutoring in "Research methods – search strategies" for Dental residents, Tabriz University of Medical Science
- A-5) Tutoring in "Second Research Curriculum" for Medical residents, Tabriz University of Medical Science
- A-6) Tutoring in "Introduction to Information Databases" for the staff of Tabriz University of Medical Science
- A-7) Tutoring in "Introduction to Information Databases" for HIT students of Tabriz University of Medical Science
- A-8) Tutoring in "Scientific Information Databases" for MSc Midwifery students of Tabriz University of Medical Science
- A-9) Tutoring in "Information Resources in Crisis" for HIT students of Tabriz University of Medical Science
- A-10) Tutoring in "Introduction to Information databases" for MSc Nanotechnology students of Tabriz University of Medical Science
- A-11) Tutoring in "Introduction to Information databases" for MSc Immunology students of Tabriz University of Medical Science
- A-12) Tutoring in "Introduction to Information databases" for MSc Parasitology students of Tabriz University of Medical Science
- A-13) Tutoring in "EBD – practical search strategies" for Dental students, Tabriz University of Medical Science

**B) Tutoring in workshops:**

B-1) Adviser of students of medical school for search strategy topic in Research Development and Coordination Center (RDCC) and EBM Center of Tabriz University of Medical School, 2013-present

B-2) Search Strategy workshop for students of Tabriz University of Medical Sciences, 2013-present

B-3) “Introduction to Google scholar profile & ORCID & Researcher ID” for Academic staff, University of Medical sciences, Tabriz, Iran 2017

B-4) Pubmed, Scopus, Web of Science, Embase and other Information databases workshops for students of Tabriz University of Medical Sciences, 2013-present

B-5) Adviser of students of Tabriz University of Medical Sciences for search strategy in systematic reviews and scoping reviews, 2015-present