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- Since 2011, Professor of General Surgery at the Department Surgical, Oncologic and Gastroenterologic Sciences, University of Padova and since 2004, Director of the Hepatobiliary and Liver Transplantation Unit at Padova University Hospital.
- Chief of the Department of Hepatology of Padova University Hospital.
- 2017 - present time, Member of ESOT Council (European Society for Organ Transplantation).
- Co-Chair the ESOT 2021 Congress.
- Since 2017 until 2019, President of the Italian Society of Organ Transplantation (SITO) and Coordinator of the Italian College of Liver Transplant Centers (2010-2017)
- 2010 - present time, Italian Co-Representative at the Division of Transplantation of the UEMS (European Union of Medical Specialists).
- Prof Cillo is first author or co-author of 325 reviewed publications, 28 chapters and 5 monographs. I.F. (JCR) 1372,892 H-INDEX 47 (Scopus) 60 (Google Scholar)
- Prof Cillo has performed as first surgeon over 4000 interventions of general and hepatobiliary surgery, over 1000 liver transplants, more than 120 cases of pediatric liver transplantation including split child-adult and adult-adult and living donor liver transplants.
- He performed the first auxiliary liver transplantation (2007), the first liver autotransplantation (2011) and the first "RAPID" technique in Italy (2018)

- Since 2004 more than 2600 liver resections, 1200 liver transplants and 3900 liver ablations have been performed in his Unit.
- His fields of scientific interest include: HCC prognosticators, Oncologic hepatobiliary minimally-invasive techniques, Ischemia reperfusion and Machine Perfusion, Organ allocation, Immunosuppression in oncologic transplant patients.