

Dr. Castriotta is born in Winchester, Massachusetts to Louis and Mary Castriotta.

1945

Dr. Castriotta receives a Bachelor of Arts from the College of the Holy Cross and becomes a research assistant at Massachusetts General Hospital in Boston, Massachusetts.

1967

Dr. Castriotta receives a Doctor of Medicine from the University of Bologna in Italy and becomes a medical resident at Hospital St. Raphael (now Yale New Haven Health) in New Haven, Connecticut.

1974

Dr. Castriotta is certified in internal medicine by the American Board of Internal Medicine and becoming a pulmonary fellow at the University of Connecticut Health Center in Farmington, Connecticut.

1978

Dr. Castriotta is certified in pulmonary disease by the American Board of Internal Medicine.

1980

Dr. Castriotta becomes an assistant professor of medicine and pathology at the School of Medicine at the University of Connecticut. He is also appointed director of pulmonary medicine at Mount Sinai Hospital (now Saint Francis Hospital & Medical Center) in Hartford, Connecticut.

1981

Dr. Castriotta marries Laura Gillespie and is appointed director of the Sleep Disorders Center at Mount Sinai Hospital.

1983

Dr. Castriotta is promoted assistant chief of medicine at Mount Sinai Hospital.

1991

Dr. Castriotta is promoted to associate professor of clinical medicine at the School of Medicine.

1992

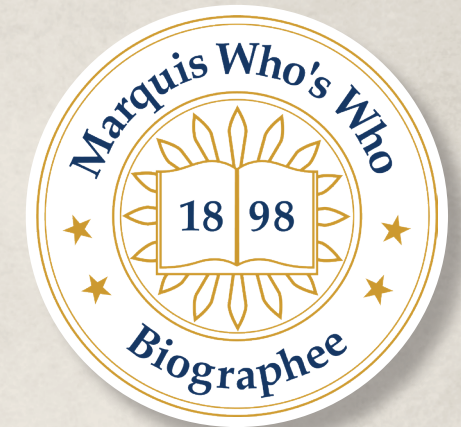
Dr. Castriotta becomes an associate professor of internal medicine at McGovern Medical School at the University of Texas in Houston, Texas. He is also appointed medical director of the Memorial Hermann Hospital Sleep Disorders Center in Houston Texas.

1995

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A timeline of professional milestones



1996

Dr. Castriotta serves on the medical advisory committee of BlueCross BlueShield of Texas.

2002

Dr. Castriotta is promoted to full professor of internal medicine at the McGovern Medical School.

2003

Dr. Castriotta is appointed president of the Southern Sleep Society.

2004

Dr. Castriotta is appointed director of the pulmonary division at McGovern Medical School.

2006

Dr. Castriotta chairs the Sleep Network at the American College of Chest Physicians.

2007

Dr. Castriotta is certified as a diplomate in sleep medicine by the American Board of Internal Medicine.

2010

Dr. Castriotta chairs the Interfaculty Council at The University of Texas Health Science Center at Houston (UTHealth).

2014

Dr. Castriotta chairs the Palliative and End of Life Care Network at the American College of Chest Physicians.

2016

Dr. Castriotta is named the Top Pulmonologist in Houston.

2018

Dr. Castriotta is honored with the Albert Nelson Marquis Lifetime Achievement Award from Marquis Who's Who.