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Dr. Genuino is an Assistant Professor at Felician University. She received her Doctor of Nursing Practice Degree from Rutgers University and completed her Post-Masters in Adult/Gerontology Nurse Practitioner certificate from William Paterson University. She received her master's in nursing Degree with a Leadership and Education focus from Regis University. She obtained her bachelor's degree in nursing from Chinese General Hospital Colleges in Manila, Philippines.

Dr. Genuino published in Elsevier's Applied Nursing Research Journal for her work on the effects of simulation training on the self-efficacy of nurses caring for patients with Heart Failure and COPD. Her most recent research is on moral distress in registered nurses who cared for patients in Covid-19 designated critical care units. She was a chapter contributor for the 5th edition of Critical Care Made Incredibly Easy by Wolters Kluwer. She was the immediate past president of NJSNA for Region 2, and Co-chair of the Education Committee of PNANJ. She is also a member of the American Nurses Association's Innovation Advisory Committee on New Care Models. She received the 2023 Institute for Nursing (IFN) C.A.R.E.S. Award for Excellence in Education. She also received the nurse recognition award from the New Jersey League of Nursing in 2022 and was nominated for their inaugural Daisy Award for Clinical Educators.

Dr. Genuino's passion for diversity and inclusion in healthcare is evident in her authored children's book (Nurse Mayumi), which aims to increase the representation of minorities in healthcare, with a specific focus on Filipino nurses. Her advocacy also extends to improving access to healthcare for autistic adults. Currently, as an Independent Author, she is working on a book designed to assist parents and caregivers in navigating the transition phase of their autistic children after the age of 21, offering valuable guidance and support. Additionally, Dr. Genuino has undertaken the task of compiling stories of nurses who have experienced loss, including her own, showcasing their remarkable resilience in the face of adversity. Both projects are slated for publication this year.