

“CASA FAMIGLIA ROSETTA” NON-PROFIT ASSOCIATION

Established by Fr. Vincenzo Sorce in Caltanissetta in the 1980s, the “Casa Famiglia Rosetta” Association is a complex and diverse reality offering personal services.

The areas of intervention span the socio-medical, psychosocial and socio-cultural sectors by adopting a global approach to social distress.

The facilities are divided into Rehabilitation Centers, Group Homes, Sheltered Housing and Therapeutic Communities and offer reception, care, rehabilitation and social inclusion programs to people with physical and/or mental disabilities, people with alcohol, drug abuse and gambling dependence issues, at-risk minors or minors living in dysfunctional families, elderly people, people affected by AIDS, and women in need. They provide housing, outpatient, home, extramural and daytime services.

The Association has also established the Alessia Foundation - Euro-Mediterranean Institute for Training, Research, Therapy and Development of Social Policies, which bears witness to the great importance that the Association attaches to training.

Casa Famiglia Rosetta has entered into special agreements with the Italian National Health System and the Italian Justice Ministry. It also has agreements with the Universities of Palermo, Catania, and Enna, and the Sapienza University of Rome to provide internships to psychologists and psychotherapists.

Since the 1990s it has cooperated with the U.S. State Department and the United Nations in training experts specialized in fighting drug trafficking from the countries of Eastern Europe: Bulgaria, Hungary, Slovenia, Slovakia, Poland, Czech Republic, Russia, Belarus and Moldova.

Since March 2009, the Association has been engaged as an NGO specialized in the field of drug abuse and HIV/AIDS issues in the TreatNet Project of the United Nations Office for Drug and Crime (UNODC), a network through which UNODC aims to support and promote quality services for the treatment and rehabilitation of drug addicts and to address the consequences, including HIV/AIDS, in the Member States of the United Nations. The project will last up to 2011 and envisages consistent training activities for African countries.

Casa Famiglia Rosetta has been involved in training activities for Nigeria, Mozambique and Ivory Coast.

Since 1995 the Association has been active in Brazil with reception, rehabilitation, and social inclusion services for disabled people, minors and drug addicts.

Since the end of 2005, it has also been active in Tanzania, in the

city of Tanga, where "Casa delle Speranze Mons. Cataldo Naro", a group house for orphans and AIDS patients, the "Formazione e Cultura" Project (Training and Culture) for youth educational support, and Long-Distance Adoption of orphan children and youths, are active.

In order to offer increasingly qualified services, thanks also to the contact with similar associations pursuing the same goals and operating in the same areas of social distress, the Association has joined several regional, national and international organizations. In addition, Casa Famiglia Rosetta, Terra Promessa, L'Oasi, and Casa Família Rosetta (Brazil) Associations and the "Alessia" Foundation – Euro-Mediterranean Institute, have established the ESODO FEDERATION.

Casa Rosetta is a member of the C.E.A.R.S. (Coordination of Auxiliary Bodies of the Sicily Region). It is a member of the A.R.I.S. (Religious Association of Sociomedical Institutes) that joins together organizations and associations across Italy that manage rehabilitation centers, nursing homes, and hospitals.

It is a member of the F.I.C.T. (Italian Federation of Therapeutic Communities), an organization that brings together associations active in the rehabilitation of drug addicts and also has experience in the training and research sector.

It belongs to the W.F.T.C. - World Federation of Therapeutic Communities. It is active in the coordination, orientation and support of therapeutic rehabilitation programs throughout the world, offers consultancy to governments and legislative bodies in the development of policies on drugs, carries out constant monitoring on the spreading of drug abuse and identifies areas that require targeted priority action.

It also belongs to the Latin American Federation of Therapeutic Communities and the Brazilian Federation of Therapeutic Communities.

Since 2009 it is recognized as an Organization with Consultative Status with the United Nations ECOSOC.

It currently has more than 300 social workers assigned to the various Centers and provides services to about 1500 people.

Esodo Federation

In order to promote cooperation and the pooling of competences, know-how and resources, Casa Famiglia Rosetta, Terra Promessa, L'Oasi, and Casa Família Rosetta (Brazil) Associations and the “Alessia” Foundation – Euro-Mediterranean Institute, have established the ESODO FEDERATION.



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Porto Velho – Rondonia

NEURO-PSYCHOMOTOR REHABILITATION CENTERS

The Rehabilitation Services are covered by the National Health Service through the Local Health Unit of Caltanissetta.

These include health services for the functional and social rehabilitation of people with physical, mental or sensory disabilities of neuro-psychomotor origin and, in particular, children with congenital or acquired neurological pathologies (deafness and hearing loss, blindness, paralysis, traumas, etc...), neuropsychological disorders (developmental delays, cognitive deficits), genetic syndromes, and adults affected by neurological pathologies (paralysis, demyelinating diseases, neuropathy, stroke, etc.).

The Neuro-Psychomotor Rehabilitation Centers of the Casa Famiglia Rosetta Association offer rehabilitation services on an outpatient, home care, extramural and day center basis.

These services are provided at our Centers on an outpatient and day center basis and comprise the following therapies: physiokinesis therapy, psychomotor therapy, speech therapy, and occupational therapy.

For the extramural service the therapies are provided at schools (kindergarten and elementary school).

The home care service is provided directly at the patient's home.



**“Villa S. Giuseppe”
NEURO-PSYCHOMOTOR
REHABILITATION CENTER**

C.da Bagno – 93100 Caltanissetta
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Outpatient clinic
Home care service
Day care service

**“Mons. Giovanni Spinnato”
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REHABILITATION CENTER**

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Outpatient clinic
Extramural service
Day care service

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Outpatient clinic

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Outpatient clinic

SHELTERED HOUSING FOR PEOPLE WITH DISABILITIES

Sheltered housing for people with disabilities consists in residential centers open 24/7. The 10 guests hosted in these facilities are attended to by specialized personnel: professional educators, psychomotor therapists, registered nurses, and socio-medical aides, supported by professionals such as social workers, neurologists and psychologists.

These facilities are an alternative to living at home with families who, for several reasons, are not able to take care of their disabled family member.

Special agreements have been reached with the towns of residence of the facilities' guests. The applications must be sent directly to the facility through the local social services office.

“San Pietro” SHELTERED HOUSING CENTER FOR PEOPLE WITH DISABILITIES

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SHELTERED HOUSING FOR MINORS

These sheltered housing facilities host minors who have been temporarily taken away from their families.

The facilities are run by specialized staff: professional educators, registered nurses, educationalists, psychomotor therapists, and aides. They are supported by external professionals: psychologists, child neuropsychiatrists, and social workers.

The educational and therapeutic model aims, when possible, at rebuilding a relationship with the family of origin and achieving autonomy and social inclusion.

The educational activities are carried out in cooperation with local social services and other agencies that may be involved in the specific cases. Major importance is attached to cooperation with schools.

Sports, recreational activities, music, and crafts are promoted in order to favor integration with the facility's residents, the sense of belonging to the community, the enhancement of individual skills, the feeling of self-respect and mutual respect, and the interactions with local facilities.

Special agreements have been reached with the towns of residence of the minors hosted at these facilities.

Minors can be hosted by referral by local social services and by order of a juvenile court.



“Giuseppe Guttilla”

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SHELTERED HOUSING FOR HIV PATIENTS

The sheltered housing facilities for AIDS and HIV-positive patients are residential centers. These are run by professional educators, psychologists, registered nurses, social workers and aides. There is also a major presence of qualified volunteers.

The guests receive adequate psychological support as well as assistance for any care and/or medical need such as hospitalization, periodic check-ups and diagnostic exams.

Special agreements have been entered into with the local municipalities or Local Health Units for these sheltered housing facilities for AIDS and HIV-positive patients. The applications must be sent directly to the facility through the local social services office.

“Villa Sergio” SHELTERED HOUSING CENTER FOR HIV PATIENS

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SOCIAL DISTRESS

“Mons. Giovanni Iacono”

MEAL SERVICE FOR THE POOR

Via M. Calafato – 93100 Caltanissetta

The meal service is a service for disadvantaged people and people experiencing social and economic hardships.

It is run by staff that takes care of cooking and distributing the meals as well as cleaning and managing the premises.

The people who use this service also receive other additional services:

- once a week, they can use especially equipped bathrooms to take care of their personal hygiene;
- they can also find underwear and clothing at the facility;
- in times of difficulty or emergency, they can find the necessities they may need.

Thanks to the cooperation with the **Family Consulting Center**, the meal service also offers its guests **psychological support**. Said support also includes art and craft workshops (ceramics, drawing, do-it-yourself, etc.) aimed to improve self-esteem, personal skills, and personal autonomy.

During holiday seasons or on the occasion of specific public and religious holidays, thanks to the commitment of volunteers, specific recreational events are organized.

The meal service is open at lunch from 12:30 p.m., including Sundays, 365 days a year.

The guests are referred to the service by the parishes of the Province of Caltanissetta and Municipal social services.

PATHOLOGICAL DEPENDENCIES

“Villa Ascione” THERAPEUTICAL COMMUNITY

First contact

Residential community

Rehabilitation community

C.da Catusi – 93100 Caltanissetta

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The “Terra Promessa” Association is a non-profit organization whose objective is the rehabilitation and social inclusion of people with drug addiction issues.

It has a facility in Caltanissetta, in Contrada Catusi, called “Villa Ascione”. It offers three services: reception and first contact, live-in therapeutic community, rehabilitation community.

The facility is registered with the Regional Roll of Auxiliary Bodies of the Sicily Region and it meets the relevant facility and personnel standards required to enter into agreements with public authorities. It can rely on the professional skills of specialized staff, among which professional educators, social workers, psychologists and neuropsychiatrists.

In the course of its regular activities, it constantly focuses on raising awareness locally and involving the local community. The facility can also rely on the support of volunteers who help the young guests attain educational qualifications.

“Villa Ascione” also organizes training events and provides spiritual support in a free manner while ensuring the utmost discretion and respect for the individual. Some residents, once they have recovered the Christian dimension and its meaning in their lives, attend catechism and later ask to receive the sacraments of Baptism, Reconciliation, Communion and Confirmation.

Alongside the usual household chores, the other activities include growing of vegetables in greenhouses and of olive groves, olive picking, carpentry and wood conservation techniques.



Terra Promessa cooperates with Ser.T's (Drug and Alcohol Dependency Services) that refer the guests to the facility. It has entered into agreements with hospitals around the country to treat people with issues of drug and/or alcohol dependency and with a double diagnosis.

“L'Oasi” Association

“L'Oasi” THERAPEUTICAL COMMUNITY

First contact

Residential community

Rehabilitation community

Borgo Ventimiglia – 95041 Caltagirone (CT)

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The “L'Oasi” Association is a reception facility for the rehabilitation of people with alcohol abuse issues in Borgo Ventimiglia, in Caltagirone (CT).

The Community has a therapeutic and rehabilitation vocation and has recently expanded its services to the rehabilitation of drug addicts.

The complex has been recently built and is surrounded by green spaces. It includes accommodations with a full range of comforts, large common spaces such as the dining hall, reading and recreational rooms, workshops, auditorium, and private chapel.

Faithful to the local area's "vocation" and in order to offer additional qualified instruments for the social inclusion of the guests who have successfully completed rehabilitation, the Community has a workshop run by professional craftsmen who teach the guests the art of ceramics.

The Center is registered with the Regional Roll of Auxiliary Bodies of the Sicily Region and has entered into an agreement with Local Health Unit n° 3 of Catania. It can rely on the professional skills of specialized staff. Admission to the Center takes place by referral of Ser.T's, First Contact Centers or through direct contact with the facility.

PATHOLOGICAL DEPENDENCIES

“La Ginestra” COMMUNITY FOR DISADVANTAGED WOMEN WITH CHILDREN

C.da Bagno – 93100 Caltanissetta

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The “Ginestra” is a residential community that hosts socially disadvantaged women and women with drug and alcohol dependency issues. These women are often pregnant or have children and they come from all around Italy.

The facility offers comfortable premises with a friendly atmosphere as well as educational, vocational and recreational activities. Special attention is dedicated to the children living at the community. The therapeutic program is aimed to promote recovery from situations of hardship and the reconstruction of a project of life for the guests. The experience of community life is also a model for the gradual reconstruction of relations with the family of origin.

The guests are also supported in elaborating their past experiences and, when needed, guided along a pathway to rediscover the spiritual dimension of life through moments of prayer and catechism.

There are also opportunities for personal enhancement thanks to the encouragement to participate in meetings and seminars on art and culture.

Since special attention is dedicated to self-enhancement and to building individual skills in view of making a contribution to community life, for years now the facility has a tailor's shop, which not only provides for repairs and adjustments, but also sews tailored clothing and household, bathroom and kitchen linens (tablecloths, bathroom sets, curtains, etc.).

In order to join the community, contact the Community's Reception Service and follow the referral procedures of the competent Ser.T (Drug and Alcohol Dependency Service).

CONSULTING AND DIAGNOSTIC CENTERS

The consulting and prevention centers are an instrument to address the needs of people and families with many issues. They offer listening, orientation and consulting.

“Mons. Alfredo Maria Garsia” CONSULTING CENTER FOR FAMILIES

Via M. Calafato – 93100 Caltanissetta
fax +39 0934.21065

Listening and orientation center

For minors, families with multiple issues and people experiencing hardship

Psychological consulting and psychotherapy

Family and marital therapy, individual therapy, self-help groups for alcoholics in therapy

Legal consulting

Minors, people with disabilities, family, long-distance adoption, foster care

Prevention of drug and alcohol abuse

Prevention and rehabilitation of compulsive gambling, correlated pathologies and new dependencies

CENTRE OF GENETICS FOR FAMILIES

C.da Bagno – 93100 Caltanissetta
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Family genetic consulting, cytogenetic diagnostics, medical genetics laboratory, education on health, responsible reproduction and the prevention of congenital and hereditary diseases



“Mons. Angelo Rizzo”

Neurophysiopathology Laboratory

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The Neurophysiopathology Laboratory has a wide range of equipment and is run by specialized staff. It performs the following exams:

- Normal electro-encephalography and with spectral analysis
- polygraphy
- Study of visual, auditory, somatosensory and cognitive evoked potentials
- Electromyography
- Neurography

The “Mons. Angelo Rizzo” Laboratory is the answer to the demand for medical and specialist services of the local population.

TRAINING CENTERS

The Training Centers are the Association's scientific instrument not only for providing life-long training for its staff, but also a training service for all health, social, welfare and rehabilitation professionals operating locally. They offer training activities to all social and health operators and volunteers who wish to gain or improve their knowledge as well as to learn modern and dynamic skills in the sectors covered by the Association.

The activities often see the involvement of expert consultants, from Italy and abroad, and cooperation with other European and North American centers.

"Don C. Limone"

Hermitage Spirituality and Training Center

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“ALESSIA” FOUNDATION AND PUBLISHING ACTIVITIES

The *Istituto Euromediterraneo per la Formazione, Ricerca, Terapia, Psicoterapia e lo Sviluppo delle Politiche Sociali* - Euro-Mediterranean Institute for Training, Research, Therapy, Psychotherapy and Development of Social Policies - was established in **March 1990**.

The Institute was created to address the need of the "Casa Famiglia Rosetta" Association to grow and today it is its expression and precious partner in developing and implementing training initiatives in all of the Association's fields of interest.

In 2004, the Institute was changed into a Foundation. On December 6, 2006 the name "**Alessia**" was added to the Foundation to commemorate **Alessia Pennisi, a student who died at a young age**.

The Foundation currently covers the following fields:

- Training
- Research
- Therapy
- Social policies

The publishing of the results and outcomes of the training and research activities is carried out by the "Solidarietà" publishing house.



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VOLUNTEER ASSOCIATIONS

“Casa Famiglia Rosetta”

SPORT ASSOCIATION

C.da Bagno – 93100 Caltanissetta

The “Casa Famiglia Rosetta” Amateur Sports Association was established in 1988 to promote sports among handicapped people, to manage courses and sports centers and to organize events and tournaments.

The Association is a member of the Italian Disabled People Federation (FISD), which belongs to the Italian Paralympics Committee.

“Casa Famiglia Rosetta”

NON-PROFIT VOLUNTEERS ASSOCIATION

C.da Bagno – 93100 Caltanissetta

ASSOCIATION OF FAMILIES AND VOLUNTEERS of the Therapeutic Programme

C.da Catusi – 93100 Caltanissetta

The origins of Casa Famiglia Rosetta are rooted in volunteering. For this reason, it encourages the creation of organized groups of volunteers.

The only requisite for all those who wish to follow this path is the motivation to make a serious commitment to do qualified volunteer work and the willingness and desire to gain the knowledge and skills needed to allow for the harmonious and effective inclusion of volunteers in the educational and reception dynamics characterizing services to people experiencing hardships.

ASSOCIAÇÃO CASA FAMÍLIA ROSETTA BRAZIL

The “Casa Famiglia Rosetta” Association has been providing free services since 1995 in the Rondonia State, in Porto Velho, in the effort to find professional and qualified responses to the needs and requests of the local area.

The facilities operating in Brazil operate with the utmost management autonomy.

Specific objectives: life-long training of operators, provision of social and care services, job placement of socially disadvantaged people.

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“Dom Helder Camara” Social Inclusion Community

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“Porto da Esperança” Association of Graduates

BR 364 Km 28

Candeias do Jamary

Porto Velho – Rondonia

SERVICES TO DISABLED CHILDREN AND TEENAGERS

“Paolo VI” Rehabilitation Center

(daytime and outpatient center)

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“Anna Teresa Cappello” Sheltered Housing Center

(sheltered housing facility)

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“Volunteers of Hope” Association

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Porto Velho – Rondonia

TRAINING ACTIVITIES

“San Benedetto il Moro” Auditorium

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“Benedetto XVI” Culture and Faith Training Center

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“CASA FAMIGLIA ROSETTA” ASSOCIATION TANZANIA

Since 2005, in the city of Tanga, in Tanzania, the Association has been running service centers to host children and youths who are HIV-positive or affected by AIDS, so that they can not only be treated, but also guided through a new project of life.

The services also focus on prevention and health education activities.

The children who are HIV-positive and/or have AIDS live in a comfortable house where they are assisted in their daily material needs and attended to from a medical and therapeutic perspective to keep the disease under control.

The services are supported by the generosity of volunteers. The long-distance adoption of teenagers and young students is essential to provide with the continuity of care needed to realize their project of life.

“Mons. Cataldo Naro House of Hopes”

For orphans and children affected by AIDS

Long-distance adoption

For orphans

“Culture and Training” Project

For educational support to young students

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