

Women's Health

clinics: these are public services open to everyone in order to protect and promote physical services for sexual and reproductive health of women, also contain **family counselling**

Italian law guarantees every woman - Italian or foreign - the right to health care. In particular, all women in Italy are entitled to maternity protection, even if they are not in possession of a residence permit.

It is expected the **ticket** to be paid for each specialist visit. In the following cases the person is **excused from such payment:** disability, chronic and disabling illness, family income below a certain threshold (disoccupied; holders of social protection status and/or ones having minimum allowance) or certain age limits (in Lazio children no older than 6 years and patients older than 65 years with an income below a 36.151,98 euro per year).

Asylum seekers, or seekers for international protection, are exempted from paying the ticket until the sixth month after the submission of the application. Then, in the case of finding work they can register to the National Health Service: in case of unemployment they may instead apply for exemption if they meet the necessary requirements (income below a certain threshold).

Foreign citizens without residence permit have the right to urgent or essential outpatient and hospital care, namely the medical care that in the short or long term may endanger the life or health of the person. Other services are also guaranteed: protection of pregnancy

and maternity, child's health, vaccinations, preventive treatment, diagnosis and treatment of infectious diseases. The healthcare staff is prohibited to carry out any type of reporting to authorities on the absence of a residence permit: the person's health is for a fact considered to be more important than the violation of immigration law (reporting is only possible when there is a compulsory medical report). The first time you access a healthcare service you are assigned a region STP code (Temporarily Present Foreigner) recognized throughout the national territory. The STP code is valid for 6 months and is renewable. In the case of not sufficient funds the person must sign a self-certification to be able to have a free access to services.

Foreign citizens with a regular residence permit and their dependents have equal treatment, equal rights and full equality to access the health care services compared to Italian citizens. To access the services you need to register with the National Health Service (NHS) at the ASL (Local Health Authority) of the district, where a medical card, required to be eligible for services, will be issued. The inscription has the same duration of the residence permit and involves one annual payment. This contribution is necessary only in the case it were not made any declarations of income and any related taxes in Italy have been paid.

Foreign citizens depending on the status of the foreign person: access to services depending on the status of the foreign person.

In Italy, health is a right recognized and protected for all people regardless of their sex, race, language, religion, political opinions, personal and social conditions. Access to health services is therefore also guaranteed to foreigners from non-European countries, no matter if you do not hold Italian citizenship or a valid residence permit. However, there are differences in the right of access to services depending on the status of the foreign person.

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Photo: Jennifer Huxia/Actionaid | Evarine, 25, East Pokot, Kenya, pictured with her daughter Mercy

Your health, your rights

Sexual and Reproductive Health Services for Migrant Women in Rome

Services to turn to in Rome

INMMP
Istituto Nazionale per la promozione della salute delle popolazioni Migranti e per il contrasto delle malattie della Povertà (INMMP) is a public institution that today is the center of national network for the problems of assistance in socio-health field related to migrants and poverty, as well INMMP is the national center for cross-cultural mediation in health.

Address
Via delle Fratte di Trastevere, 52
U.R.P. tel. **06/58585505**
Cultural mediators: tel. **06/58585503**
Opening hours:
Monday-Friday from 7.30am till 12.00am
Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday in the afternoon from 2pm till 5pm
Saturday and Sunday from 8.00am till 12pm.

Address
Via Luzzatti, 8
Tel. **06/77307553**
samfio@asfroma.it
Opening hours:
Monday-Friday from 9.30am till 12.30am
Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday in the afternoon from 3pm till 6pm

THE CENTER SAMFIO:
The center promotes protection of forced migrants. For asylum seekers and refugees center offers medical care: both basic and specialist visits at the psychiatric, psychological, gynecological, orthopedics, and forensic clinics.

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and mental health of women, couples, adolescents and children. They offer various types of services, including those related to **contraception, pregnancy, postpartum care, voluntary interruption of pregnancy, prevention of sexually transmitted diseases and menopause.** Access to counselling is free and there is no need for a prescription. You do not need to make any appointment for an initial interview. The services are free, except for some specialist gynecological services. Every municipality of Rome has its territorial clinics, the number of which varies according to the size of municipality and number residents. In total there are 43 territorial clinics where it is possible, if necessary, to ask for a specialist visit with the support of available cultural and linguistic mediators.

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Consultants

- RM 1 ex RMA
1° MUNICIPIO
Via S.G. in Laterano, 155 tel. 06 77305505
- 2° MUNICIPIO
Via Garigliano 55 - tel. 06 77307730 / 26
Via Salaria, 140 - tel. 06 8559976
Via Boemondo, 21 - tel. 06 84483401 / 36
Via dei Frentani, 6 - tel. 06 77303574 / 85
- 3° MUNICIPIO
Via Dina Galli, 3 - tel. 06 77304611
Largo Rovani, 5 - tel. 06 77304846
- RM2 ex RM B
4° MUNICIPIO
Via Pietralata, 497 - tel. 06 41435408
Via Rubelia, 2 - tel. 06 41436093
Via S. Benedetto del Tronto, 9 - tel. 06 41436327
- 5° MUNICIPIO
Via Manfredonia, 43 - tel. 06 2598972
Via Tor Cervara, 307 - tel. 06 2283683
Via delle Resede, 1 - tel. 06 41436020
- 6° MUNICIPIO
Via delle Canapiglie, 88 - tel. 06 41436121
Via di Torrenova, 20 - tel. 06 41436130
- 7° MUNICIPIO
Via Stazione di Ciampino, 31 tel. 06 41435102
Via dei Levii, 10/B - tel. 06 41436050
Via B.Rizzieri, 226 - tel. 06 41434012
- RM2 ex RMC
5° MUNICIPIO
Via Casilina, 711 - tel. 06 51008900
Piazza dei Condottieri, 34 tel. 06 51008553
Via H. Spencer, 282 - tel. 06 51008804
- 7° MUNICIPIO
Via Monza, 2 - tel. 06 51006518
Via Iberia, 73 - tel. 06 51008580
via Denina, 7 - tel. 06 51008571
- 8° MUNICIPIO
Via dei Lincei, 93 - tel. 06 51008646
Largo delle Sette Chiese, 25 - tel. 06 51008666

- 9° MUNICIPIO
Via Silone, 100 - tel. 06 51008322
Via Stame, 162 - tel. 06 51005400
- RM3 exRMD
FIUMICINO
Via Giorgio Giorgis, 46 - tel. 06 56484750
Via della Pineta di Fregene, 76 - tel. 06 56484201
- 10° MUNICIPIO
Largo G. da Montesarchio, 22 - tel. 06 56483200
Via Capitan Casella, 3 - tel. 06 56483024
- 11° MUNICIPIO
Via Vaiano, 53 -tel. 06 56485510 /1 /3
Largo E. Quadrelli, 5 -tel. 06 56485724/5 /6
- 12° MUNICIPIO
Via A. Colautti, 28 - tel. 06 56486131
Via della Consolata, 52 - tel. 06 56486536
Largo L. Quaroni, 4 - tel. 06 56486688
Via F. Belfanti, 76/A - tel. 06 56486642
- RM1 ex RME
1° MUNICIPIO
Via A. Emo, 13 - tel. 06 68354404 /06
Via A. Emo, 11/L - tel. 06 68354412(riservato agli adolescenti)
- 13° MUNICIPIO
Via D. Silveri, 8 - tel. 06 633714
Via Tornabuoni, 50 - tel. 06 6240352
- 14° MUNICIPIO
Via P. Gasparri, 21 - tel. 06 68354203
Piazza S.Maria della Pietà, 5 - tel. 06 68352856
- 15° MUNICIPIO
Via Cassia, 472 - tel. 06 68354616
Via San Daniele del Friuli 8 - 06 68354761
- CONSULTANTS FOR TEENAGERS
Via Angelo Emo n. 11/L - tel. 06 68354412 (RM1 ex Asi RME)
Via N. Stame n. 135 - tel. 06 5074083 (RM2 exAsi RMC)

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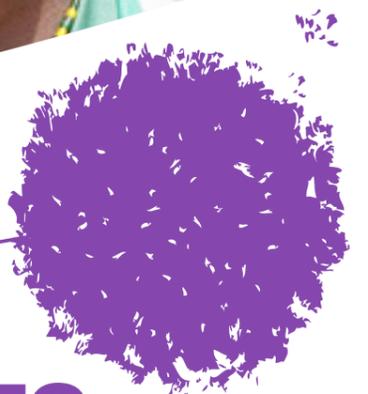
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