The SIVA Network

The Assistive Technology Information and Assessment Services (SIVA) of the Don Gnocchi Foundation

Besides the SIVA Portal – a fundamental knowledge tool for anybody interested in assistive technologies, which is unique nation-wide in terms of information coverage, quality and completeness – the Don Carlo Gnocchi Foundation offers a network of specialised centres which can be contacted by anybody upon appointment to obtain personalized assessment, guidance and advice to find out the appropriate assistive technology solutions that best meet each individual need.

The SIVA services professional teams are prepared to help the clients find solutions to most problems they may encounter in daily life (mobility, communication, computer access, personal care, home adaptation...) and in any context (domestic life, school, workplace, social activities...); some SIVA services are also equipped with a permanent exhibition of assistive products that can be tried out.

The SIVA Network includes:

- a telephone/email helpline for general information on assistive technologies;
- a highly specialised assistive technology Centre (the DAT Service) located in Milano – including a large permanent exhibition of assistive products and a trial flat equipped with advanced smart home technologies;
- a nation-wide network of assistive technology assessment services (the SIVA Centres), where users, family members and professional caring for them can get appointments for individual assessment and guidance.

In addition to the above, the Innovation Development Department of the Don Gnocchi Foundation in Milano includes The SIVALab, aimed at introducing innovative assistive technologies in the clinical and social-assistance services of the Don Gnocchi Foundation. Through continuous scouting activities on the international market, updates the assistive technology exhibition of the Santa Maria Nascente center, offers technical and methodological support to the SIVA network in identifying solutions for the autonomy of people with disabilities. Moreover, The SIVALab team is engaged in spreading culture about the Assistive Technologies through teaching and dissemination activities, and participation in national and international technological and methodological innovation projects. Finally, The SIVALab is partner of the international information network on Assistive Technologies - EASTIN-, of The Italian network of Assistive technology Centers - GLIC-; collaborates with the the European Scientific Society of Assistive Technology - AAATE-.

SIVA Helpline

For general information on assistive technologies and for appointments for individual assessment: send an email message to portale@siva.it
SIVA Centres

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