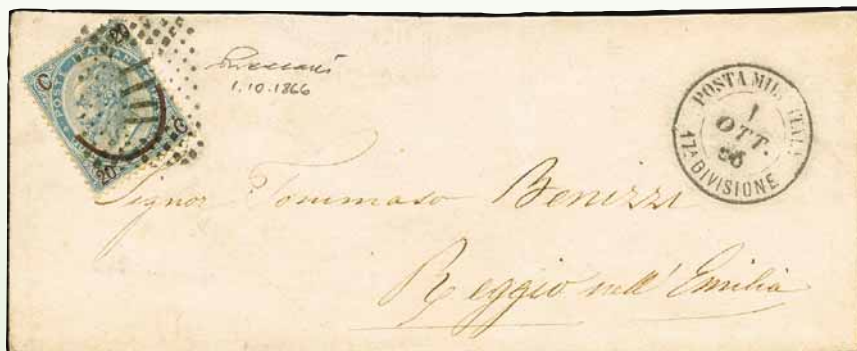


"You can't get very far until
you start doing something for
somebody else."
Melvin Jones (1879-1961)

CHARITY INITIATIVE

The net return of lots 458, 701 and 707 will be assigned to **charity** to
FONDAZIONE ANT ITALIA ONLUS



Risorgimento - Italy - lot 458 base € 1.200,00



G.N.R. - Air Mail
lot 701 base € 450,00



G.N.R. - Postage-due label
lot 707 base € 600,00



who

The non-profit organization Fondazione ANT Italia Onlus is the leading private organization working in Italy in the field of palliative care and pain management for tumour sufferers.

Founded in 1978, it operates, for free, in the name of "Eubiosia" (from Greek, "good life"), meaning overall quality to guarantee a dignified life right up until one's last breath.

what

The main objective is offering free social-health assistance at home to tumour sufferers, a professional sanitary and psychological support 24 hours a day. Moreover, it offers projects for cancer prevention for free and it is active in the field of research.

how

Thanks to the work of 400 specialists (doctors, specialized nurses, psychologists, and other assistants) and of more than 1,600 voluntary people engaged in raising funds, for over 30 years ANT has been demonstrating that it is possible to take care of oncological patients at home but with a hospital approach, thus representing an essential resource for the Italian National Health Service.

CHARITY INITIATIVE



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Aware of the importance of voluntary work for all of us, the idea is to give our small contribution by donating money but also by diffusing information about the association and its activities.

Thanks to the **Charity initiatives connected to the auction** it has been possible to donate, up to now, a **total of 24,850.00 euro**. They have started in 2008, with 3,800.00 euro to AIRC (the Italian Association for Research on Cancer). Then, in 2009, 2,400.00 euro to “Vip - Viviamo in positivo” (association in Modena for clowntherapy); in 2010, 5,000.00 to the international Francesca Rava Foundation; in 2011, 4,000.00 to ASEOP (Paediatric Oncology Haematology Support Association); in 2012, 5,500.00 to ANT Italia (Italian National Foundation for Tumour Sufferers Assistance); in 2013, 4,150.00 to “Tutti insieme a Rovereto e Sant’Antonio”, an association engaged in the reconstruction after the earthquake in the province of Modena.

In this **auction of 12 April 2014** the returns of three lots will be donated to charity.

LOT 458 - Italy - Risorgimento - third war for Independence - cover to Reggio Emilia of 1.10.1866 with c.20 on c.15 III type n.82, Sassone n.25, dotted numeral cancellation with Roman figures “XXII”; next to it, double circle “Posta Mil.^c Ital.^a 17^a Divisione 1 Ott. 66”; on the back, arrival postmark - P.V. - R.D. (cert.1994) + fragment with c.20 on c.15 I type n.78 and c.10/1863, both with Military cancellation XXVI - all of them very fine - P.V.

LOT 701 - Republican National Guard - Air Mail L.2 pair with Brescia overprint (top example II type + other III type) Sassone n.122/II+122/III - really very fine - D.Carraro (cert.2009)

LOT 707 - Republican National Guard - Postage-due labels, printing of Brescia I type, series 11 values Sassone n.47/I-57/I = euro 3,000.00 - all of them signed D.C. and with certificate (2009) for the 3 high values

The returns will be donated to the non-profit organization **Fondazione ANT Italia Onlus**, Delegation of the District of Vignola (Modena), who offers **free social-health assistance at home to tumour sufferers**, and deals with **cancer prevention**.

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NATIONAL PROFILE

Since 1985 up to now, Fondazione ANT Italia Onlus **has assisted, completely free of charge**, more than 96,000 tumour sufferers (datum updated to 30 June 2013). In 9 different Italian regions, there are currently about 4,000 patients receiving daily home care by 21 teams of ANT healthcare operators providing, for Sufferers and their Families, all the necessary hospital and social assistance. A total of 400 **healthcare Professionals** (doctors, nurses, psychologists, nutritionists, physiotherapists, pharmacists, social-health workers and other employees) work for the Foundation together with about 1,600 **Volunteers**, subscribed in the ANT register. The support faces every kind of problems in the perspective of “global healthcare” of Sufferers.



Furthermore, ANT is strongly committed to **cancer prevention**, with projects of early diagnosis of skin cancer, thyroid tumours, gynaecological and breast neoplasia.

Just within the Skin cancer Project, that started in 2004, 67,283 patients have been visited in 63 different Italian provinces (datum updated to 30 June 2013). The campaigns of prevention are carried out both in healthcare structures offered free of charge to ANT, and in the ANT clinics, and also inside the mobile clinic - the Prevention BUS. The vehicle, equipped with advanced diagnostic instruments (digital mammogram, ultrasound scanner and video dermatoscope), allows to make prevention visits locally, for the various ANT projects.

Taking the 2012 social **balance** as a reference, ANT finances most of its activities thanks to the donations of private individuals and to the organized fundraising events (56%), to the contribution of the 5x1000 (11%), to bequests and donations (12%), to the contribution of banks and foundations (1%). In the assignation of the 5x1000, ANT is the 10th non-profit organization in the Italian national list among over 30,000 entitled in the same field.

Fondazione ANT operates in Italy through **120 Delegations**, where the presence of Volunteers is very active. The duties of Delegations are, at local level, the initiatives of awakening and fundraising and the arrangement of the planning necessary to healthcare assistance at home.

DELEGATION OF VIGNOLA (MODENA)

In the District of Vignola the Foundation has been present for over twenty years. At present, the medical team of ODO-ANT (Oncological Home Hospital) Vignola - made up of one doctor, two nurses and one psychologist - is active in all the province of Modena.

In the first six-month period of 2013, 73 tumour sufferers have been cared at home and completely free of charge (40 people every day - datum updated to 30 June 2013). Since 1992 up to now, 2,125 sufferers have been cared for by ANT in the whole province (1,250 in the district of Vignola).

On the front of cancer prevention, in the scope of early diagnosis of skin cancer, since 2007 in the province of Modena, 20,452 free visits have been made, of which 8,397 in the District of Vignola (datum updated to 30 June 2013).

