



The first Italian Leg Club was inaugurated in Pisa, in via Cappuccini 4 (in the former Capuchin convent of San Giusto). The Leg Club Foundation ([www.legclub.org](http://www.legclub.org)) is a voluntary association - founded in 1995 in England on the initiative of nurse Ellie Lindsay - based on the belief that social conditions and isolation can significantly affect the health conditions of patients with lower limb problems, prejudicing their response to medical treatments.



It is no coincidence that the Leg Club is housed within the iCappuccini Salute centre, a social clinic that offers free basic medical care to people at a social or economic disadvantage. The Centre is promoted by the Social Cooperative Il Simbolo, the Society of San Vincenzo De Paoli and the diocesan Caritas.

The inauguration was attended by Dr. Grazia Luchini (Health Director of the Aoup), Professor Marco Romanelli (Director of the Dermatology Operations Unit), Professor Stefano Taddei (Director of the Medical 1 Operations Unit), Dr Michele Cristofano (Medical Presidium Directorate).  
*Pictured, from left: Michele Cristofano, Stefano Taddei, Marco Romanelli.*



The clinic is open on Thursdays, from 3 pm to 5 pm, and for information you can call 348 84 51 825 (Monday-Tuesday, 3-6 pm) or write to [infolegclub@gmail.com](mailto:infolegclub@gmail.com).