



The President's voice

Dear members and friends,

in November 2014 the Board has been renewed: it is an honor but also a great responsibility being re-elected and reappointed as President of the organization.

It is an honor because it's the recognition of my commitment in taking action in the fight against cancer and confirms the appreciation of our programs for cancer prevention and early diagnosis.

It is an honor that I want to share with the "family" of Lilt (present and past board members, doctors, staff, volunteers) because we work together to promote the values and mission of the Organization.

It is a responsibility because I feel compelled to aim for ever higher goals, improving service quality and expanding Lilt's activities. A challenge that I want to grasp aware of the support of the new Board of Directors.

Together we have already set the goals for the future and we are already planning the actions needed to be even more effective with information and awareness campaigns, especially toward young people and teen agers; to ensure early detection programs with excellent quality standards; to be able to build a network of solidarity around cancer patients and survivors...

A heartfelt thanks to our members, friends, partner who share our goals and allow us to continue to intervene in favor of the health of citizens.

THE PRESIDENT

Prof. Domenico Francesco Rivelli

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Rivelli'.



Mission statement

To fight cancer by promoting cancer prevention through awareness campaigns, educational programs for schools and early diagnosis programs. We provide free counselling to cancer patients and their families and free support in dealing with bureaucratic and legal issues.

Primary prevention: it aims to make the population of all ages aware of the importance of a correct lifestyle to prevent cancer. LILT promotes cancer prevention through awareness campaigns, educational programmes in schools, open seminars and workshops, no tobacco programmes.

The German philosopher, Ludwig Feuerbach, stated “We are what we eat”. Therefore, we should always choose the best foods for us. This is not only important for our overall health and physical fitness, but also, to prevent and overcome cancer, one of the leading causes of death worldwide.

Improper nutrition is the cause of about 35% of all cancers.

We promote awareness campaigns, provide nutrition education, organize anti-smoking courses to help people who want to quit smoking and educational programs in schools to promote healthy lifestyles.

Safe cosmetics campaign: we all should learn to protect our health and the health of our loved ones by reducing cancer risk factors associated with exposure to potentially harmful chemicals. We should choose products for our personal care and house maintenance always checking the label, making sure that the products we use every day do not contain ingredients potentially harmful and carcinogenic. On our website there is a list of ingredients one should avoid.

Early diagnosis screening exams are used to **identify tumors or cancerous cells at an early stage**. The goal is **to reduce mortality rates**, lessen the invasiveness of treatment options, and **improve the overall quality of life** of cancer patients.

The clinic at LILT Bologna, offers early diagnosis exams to LILT members of all ages. We aim to spread the importance of early diagnosis through awareness campaigns throughout the community. Cancer screenings are equally important for the over sixty population. LILT posts opportunities for early diagnosis exams at Social and Community Centers in Bologna and throughout the province.

And we also...

take care of the patients and their families providing free counseling for cancer patients and their families and support in dealing with bureaucratic issues.



2014 HIGHLIGHTS

4.451 early diagnosis checkups and exams

2.424 checkups to control moles for melanoma prevention

40 thyroidal ultrasounds

333 abdominal ultrasounds

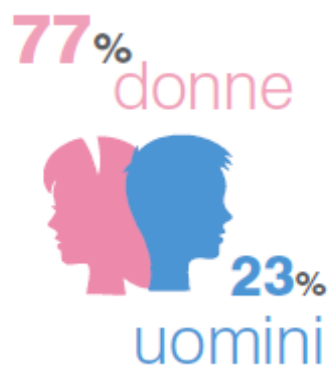
857 breast cancer prevention checkups – **686** breast ultrasounds done

425 women applied to the Pink Ribbon Campaign for breast cancer early detection

286 women applied to the “Prevention regardless ethnicity” project

561 pap test

276 early diagnosis checkups performed on elderly people

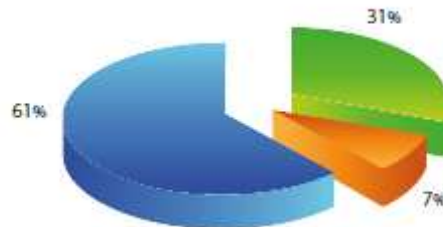
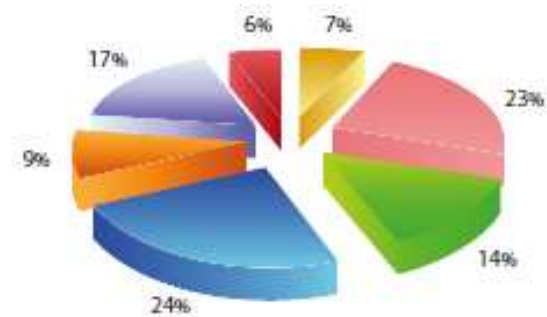




FINANCIALS

- Membership
- Individuals
- Event
- Business
- 5X1000 (tax refund)
- Banks
- Income from assets

- Overhead
- Awareness campaign and prevention programmes
- Fund Raising and communications



	2014	2013
INCOME SOURCES		
Membership fees	23.595	19.330
Individuals	71.215	64.238
Events	43.398	48.600
Business	74.753	44.956
5X1000 (tax refund)	28.542	26.900
Banks	54.308	46.085
Income from assets	20.192	2.934
Total	316.002	253.043

	2014	2013
EXPENSES		
Overhead	72.677	88.206
Fund Raising & communication	17.443	18.605
Awareness campaigns and prevention programmes	142.452	134.196
Total	232.572	241.007



CONSIGLIO DIRETTIVO e STAFF

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