'SS. Giovanni and Paolo of Venice Provincial Civil Hospital' (mental illness hospital section)

Office of Conservation – Address of Deposits: Island of San Servolo -30124 Venice

Administrative and Medical Sections
Consistency: bb. 43 (containing nn. 5.222 clinical files) and regg.3 for Global ml 4, 50
Chronological Extremes: 1825 – 1873 (with follow-up in 1874)
Order: partially ordered and inventoried
Instruments of Consultation: Database realized by Francesca Sardi with Software "Sesame"
Conservation: mediocre (Mechanical damages and humidity)
Description of the series: The conserved archive at the San Servolo foundation is actually constituted by a limited nucleus of documentation relative to the only sanitary section which includes two series, the one of the clinical files of men and women recovered starting from the years 1825 until July 1873 and that of the nosology registers. It concerns, most probably, an extraction of the archive originally of The Venice Civil Hospital, occurred during the past period and that, for uncertain reasons, has seen transferred these series at San Servolo. It is presumed that it is all about clinical files relative to pathologies linked to mental disturbances which have been during the time concentrated in analogy, the same as happened also for the San Clemente archive.

The clinical files series
Consistency: 5.222 subdivided as follows:
- *Women left* nn. 3.828
- *Women died* nn. 1.140
- *Men left* nn. 169
- *Men died* nn. 36
- *Mixed. Continuations* nn. 49

Chronological extremes: 1825-1873 (with follow up in 1874)
Order: Re-ordinate
The clinical files series (or Nosology Tables) has been structured in the following subtitles:
1 Women who entered and left (1826 - 1873)
2 Women who entered and died (1825 - 1873)
3 Men who entered and left (1866 – 1872)
4 Men who died (1866– 1870)
Within each under series, the files are arranged in chronological order, by entrance year of the recovered, patient.

Instruments of consultation: Data base with compiled reports for levels of series and under series.