

Summary

Pharmacy Practice in the Prostějov Region during the Health Care Development Process after the 1989

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Objective: Survey of the history of pharmacies and pharmacists in the Prostějov Region after the 1989 during the health care development process.

Methods: Excerptation of the availability literature, processing the regional newspapers that were obtained from the Town library in Prostějov and Town archive in Prostějov, the questionnaires, the materials of the district corporation of the pharmacists and interviews with the local pharmacy keepers.

Results: Before 1989 in the Prostějov Region there were 12 pharmacies, 6 in the region and 6 in the city of Prostějov. After the 1989 many new pharmacies were established. Some pharmacies have established the OOVL (a small pharmacy by their „mother pharmacy“), their expansion have begun after the 1998. In the city of Prostějov we can find the pharmacies in the supermarkets too. Some historical pharmacies and some new have disappeared because of their competition.

In the end of 2008 there were 21 pharmacies and 5 OOVL in the Prostějov Region.

Conclusion: I have managed to summarize the chronological development of the pharmacies in this district. I have taken down also the pharmacies which have terminated their business.