

Abstract

This thesis deals with the evaluation of family situation of children placed in children's home.

The theoretical part is focused on the current family and its functioning in our cultural background, children's home as an institution, social-legal protection of children and evaluation of the situation of endangered child and its family.

The practical part firstly includes opinion of social workers of the Office for Social-legal Protection of Children which affects the process of evaluation of family, number of children placed in institutions and media image of social workers in the Czech Republic. Secondly, it concentrates on the methods of evaluation of children placed in children's home in the form of pedagogical documentation and educational plan of children. At last a brief description of the work of social workers of the Office for Social-legal Protection of Children cooperating with the children already placed in a children's home is included.

Keywords

Child, childhood, family, children's home, best interest of the child, evaluation of family