## Annotation

## THE ROLE OF MENTOR IN NURSING CARE

The bachelor's work is devoted to the contemporary changes in the nurse education, particularly to the student's practice in a clinic under the supervision of a mentor. The mentor is a guide through the clinical training. He teaches in the environment, that he is fully familiar with, being a permanent part of the medical team and thus knowing well the interpersonal relationships, habits of the ward as well as the patients.

The work deals with a new form of education and that is why it comprises also some research, that took place in selected departments. The research tries to test the degree of awareness and the interest of nurses and midwives in a mentor function.

The results of the survey give evidence of a very little interest in pedagogical work among nurses in spite of quite good awareness and suitable work condition.

Nevertheless, we will surely more and more often meet nurses and midwives in a new role: the role of a mentor.