

SUMMARY

The theoretical part of the thesis explains the necessity of regulation the human reproduction since the population explosion launched by the agrarian revolution that was reduced by the number of illnesses and infections would lead to overpopulation. The contraceptive efforts having their roots in the ancient times led to the development of methods which vary as far as reliability is concerned . A midwife is in charge of providing high-quality health education to promote healthier family life, family planning and positive parenthood. Unfortunately, the Czech midwives have none of these authorities arising from the strategic documents.

The aim of the empirical part is to find out to what extent the Czech women using hormonal contraception are informed as well as their view on the role of a midwife in the sphere of family planning.