

Annotation

Pallová,A. Smoking of medical staff seen as a problem.

My graduation work consists of two parts. In the theoretical part I focused on the problem of smoking both active and passive. Further I studied the influence of smoking on human organism and possible health risks. There is an article on current legal norms included, reflecting economical consequences of smoking.

The practical part concerns smoking prevalence as such, especially smoking prevalence at work, and includes medical workers's view to smoking as to an illness and addiction. I further focused on medical workers' legislation knowledge and financial question concerning the NRT (nicotine replacement therapy). In this part I set out 5 working hypotheses. For confirming or refusing them I used the questionnaire research method. The sample of respondents consisted of 129 employees of the Regional Náchod Hospital a.s. employed at the Broumov hospital. The research was carried out during the month of March 2006.